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glishman Sums Up the enezuelan Situation.

S GOOD AND BAD EFFECTS.

s Government She Would Better t Too Deeply Entangled With sam if She Does Not Want the Thrashing She or Any One Else ceived

, Jan 4 —The special commis- a London newspaper, who is Washington, sends the follow- ortant dispatch:

dent Cleveland's message to is destroyed every chance of the Armenians, it has given a impetus toward closer ties be- reat Britain and her colonies; ously emphasized the line ge always existing, but dis- gued, between east and west nited States—the west today re- e east as practically a European nd the New York bankers as money sharks of Europe; it has certain the creation of a great n navy which the next genera- be almost irresistibly tempted or aggression, and, most impor- unless foolish words or un- events bar its natural conse- paved the way for better future because Americans having ex- of the consequences will cease norant denunciations, and the men will learn to show much respect for American national knowing that force is behind will therefore refrain from pro t by utterances and acts of ontempt

ly the message has rendered the avoidance of a far vaster namely, the question of the a canal A man who would near the head of the American case of war said to me: 'It is a the Venezuelan affair has hap- ecause a specific solution of this ut the way to the same thing Nicaragua, concerning which the two nations would cer- ave fought '

enezuela does not come within r corners of the Monroe doc- en the new doctrine, the Olney , covers it and American opin- whelmingly favors its general s Moreover, America demands on as a sacred right, and fo will fight if needful

n astounded at the depth and r of American feeling on this Men experienced, staid, conservative, many holding positions of great responsibili- kly declare their uncompromis- port of this American doctrine; le it is clear that President d was infinitely too clever and oted to his own party not to see s message would deal a knock- low to the two groups of his enemies, Republicans and free men still, no greater mistake be possible than for England to the message as a mere party er If this latter view gains ac- e, the consequences of the mis- y be awful."

he Gun Worked All Right.

ELD, W. Va., Jan. 4.—A kill- aleigh county is reported. Two n white men went to the house Belle Manley and made inde- oposals to her. She resented d taking a double-barreled shot- oaded with buckshot, emptied rrels, killing William Withrow ally wounding Amos Snyder.

To Lynch a Murderer.

HARNOIS, Que , Jan. 4 —Prepa- are making to lynch Valentine the murderer A mob of 300 n attack on the jail yesterday, t away when told Shortis was re. Private information states 0 are coming from Valleyfield, ne of the murder

Express Directors Elected.

A, Jan 4 —Stockholders of the Express company held their an- eeting and elected the following s. E M Morsman, Omaha; n F Bechel, Omaha; E. G. Mer- . B Prior, R. S. Logan and S. yler, all of St. Louis, and Oliver ok of Boston

er Senators Unable to Agree.

HINGTON Jan 4. — The senate committee did not conclude its ration of the house bill. The was due to the fact that the sil- jority of the committee was un- agree upon the terms of the sub- which they propose to report for use bill

led His Cousins and Himself.

FOGENVILLE, Ky., Jan. 3 —A boy Walters, while playing, secured ver and shot his two little cous- girls aged 4 and 8. A third o slightly injured. The boy then ball through his own head. All injured

From Michigan City to Toledo.

H BEND, Ind , Jan. 3.—A meet- business men was held here to the feasibility of constructing a ater canal from Michigan City to to lessen the distance of lake tion Dr. Harris of Defiance, O., esent and spoke in favor of the

Montreal Bank Bankrupt.

TREAL Jan 4 —The entire $1,- stock of the Banque du Peuple its assets has been wiped out. ties, $ 7,478,000, assets, $3,687,- The bank will go into liquida-

Regular Quarterly Meeting.

, Jan 4 —Chairman Cald- as issued a call for the regular meeting of the Western Pas- association to be held in this xt Tuesday

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

In the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The senate heard a stirring debate, the bond question being the main theme. Mr. Sherman's speech, which had been anticipated with much interest for some time initiated the financial discussion. The veteran senator was in good voice and his speech was closely followed throughout.

This, however, was merely a prelude to an unexpected financial controversy vigorous and personal in character Mr Elkins of West Virginia sought to secure an immediate vote on his resolution directing that all bond issues be advertised and bonds offered to the public.

Mr. Hill attempted to have the resolution referred to a committee, but on a roll call the vote was overwhelmingly in favor of proceeding with the question Only six negative votes were cast—Chilton, Caffery, Hill, Mitchell of Wisconsin, Murphy and Brice.

Mr. Hill spoke vigorously against the resolution. He asserted that Mr. Sherman, when secretary of the treasury, had made bond contracts with the New York syndicates similar to the one now assailed. This brought on a sharp personal debate in which Messrs Hill, Sherman, Hoar, Teller and others participated.

During the day Mr. Morrill from the finance committee reported that the tariff and bond bills would be ready on Tuesday.

Mr. Hale (Rep , Me.) in presenting a bill for a Pacific ocean cable to Honolulu and elsewhere, explained that it was an elaboration of the plan urged before the last congress, and contemplated a cable for the transaction of the business of the United States government He said he would call up the subject next Tuesday.

A joint resolution for a constitutional amendment admitting woman to suffrage, was presented by request by Mr. Hoar.

Mr. Squire (Rep) offered a resolution for the negotiation forthwith of a convention between the United States and Great Britain for marking the boundary between Alaska and British North America, and appropriating $75,000 for expenses.

Mr. George (Dem., Miss.) asked immediate consideration for a bill repealing the law requiring an oath of loyalty as prerequisite to securing a pension for service in the Mexican war.

The Senate Adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—At 5:20 p m Senator Aldrich moved that the senate adjourn. Senator Elkins demanded the yeas and nays. The motion was carried—27 to 26. Republican antisilver men and Democrats voted in the affirmative. This carries the Elkins resolution over till Tuesday.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The session of the house lasted five minutes The chaplain offered prayer, the journal was read and approved, a message was received from the senate and then the house adjourned until Monday next.

THE DEFALCATION GROWS.

City Treasurer Bolln of Omaha Took All but the Safe.

OMAHA, Jan 4.—Several months ago City Treasurer Bolln was forced to turn the office over to his bondsmen when a defalcation of $25,000 was found. In checking up the entries on the bond books another unaccounted entry of $77,000 has been unearthed. This item appears in the handwriting of John W. Fead, head bookkeeper, who says he made the entry after the embezzlement was discovered at the peremptory command of Thomas Swobe and John Lauer, who were at that time in the city treasurer's office in the interest of the Bolln bondsmen.

The Captain Washed Overboard.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The British steamer Ardle arrived yesterday from Haytian ports with her colors halfmast in memory of her late commander, Captain Batchelor, who was washed overboard and lost at sea during a hurricane on Dec. 13.

Rather Startling Rumor.

NORFOLK, Jan. 4 —There is a rumor here that the yacht Talisman, having on board a party of wealthy gentlemen from New York, has been wrecked off Cape Hatteras and the entire party drowned.

Sons of the Revolution Banquet.

PRINCETON, N. J., Jan 4.—The New Jersey society, Sons of the Revolution, held a banquet at Princeton inn in commemoration of the battle of Princeton, which was fought Jan. 3, 1777.

President Gompers Called East.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 3 —Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has gone to Philadelphia It is understood he has been summoned there by the strike situation.

Suspected of Murder.

VINCENNES, Ind., Jan. 4 —Tom Castor, negro, was arrested here. He is supposed to be Tom Wilson, wanted at Henderson, Ky , for murdering Abe Smith five years ago.

Recaptured the Desperado.

VINCENNES, Ind., Jan 4.—Oscar B Dent, desperado, under sentence of five years for attempting to kill a constable, who escaped from jail here has been recaptured.

British Exports Increaseing.

SHEFFIELD, England, Jan. 4.—The exports from this city to the United States during the year 1895 show an increase of £150,000 ($750,000) over those of 1894.

But It Didn't Save His Life.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Jan. 4 —Edward Barnes died from the effects of injuries received by a tree falling on him. The day before he had his life insured for $5,000.

BEFORE HAVANA.

Caban Insurgents Are Rounding Up Very Rapidly.

MARTIAL LAW IS NOW DECLARED.

Consternation Bordering on Panic Reigns and the Worst Is Expected at Any Moment — The Rebels Are Now In the Suburbs of Havana—Volunteers Readily Surrender to the Insurgents.

HAVANA, Jan 4.—Owing to the near approach of the insurgent forces to Havana and the disturbances in the province of Pina del Rio, martial law was declared in the province of Havana and in the province of Pina del Rio.

The insurgents are making a swift advance directly upon Havana. The advance guard of their cavalry under General Lacret was at latest accounts at Lapaste, which is only 18 miles from Guanabacoa, the latter being but a suburb of Havana, five miles from the city, where a bathing beach frequented by the citizens of Havana is located. General Lacret, with his cavalry, seems to be but a scouting party in advance of the insurgent wing commanded by Quintin Bandera.

Word received from La Cateline, a town between Guinas and Bainoa and about a dozen miles from Lapaste, reports that there are indications of a rapid advance movement in considerable force on the part of the wing of the insurgent army under Bandera.

Nothing definite is known as to the strength in numbers of Bandera's command, but the news of the near approach of the insurgents has caused the utmost anxiety among the authorities, and every preparation is being hastily made to have the city's defenses in readiness to repel an attack or to prevent damage being done within the city, even if the projected movement should prove to be nothing but a dashing cavalry raid.

It is believed Bandera is simply planning a demonstration against Havana to divert attention from Gomez and the southern wing, while that general completes the work of destruction in the canefields of Havana province or makes a dash into Pinar del Rio. Nevertheless the unparalleled boldness and intrepidity of the movements of the insurgents created something like a panic here, and the conviction is universal that unless ample force is displayed to show the insurgents that they would court destruction by an attack upon Havana, there is danger that they will make a destructive dash into Havana itself.

One thing in particular which is causing consternation among the royalists is that the volunteer forces, who have been well equipped by Campos, boldly go against the insurgents and surrender before a shot is fired, thus furnishing the insurgents with arms and ammunition. It is estimated that the Cubans have several thousand stands of arms secured in this way.

BLOCK OF BUILDINGS BURNED.

An Employe In a Furniture Store Upset a Lamp by Accident.

CRESTON, Ia., Jan. 4.—Fire destroyed a block of business buildings, including the Summit House, and the entire business district was threatened. The flames originated in Horton & Donaldson's furniture store by an employe overturning a lamp. Thirteen merchants lost their merchandise and two brick and three frame buildings were lost Total loss, $200,000; insurance, $50,000.

Race Meetings Arranged.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Dates for the coming spring and fall race meetings have been arranged as follows; Morris Park, May 12 to June 2, Oct. 13 to Nov. 3, Gravesend, June 4 to June 22, Sept. 7 to Oct. 5, Sheepshead Bay, June 23 to July 11, Aug. 15 to Sept. 5. On Wednesdays, at Morris Park, the New Steeplechasing association will race there both in the spring and fall.

Claims to Have Found Mrs. Badden.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Davidson, who blackmailed Rev. Brown, claims her attorneys have located Mrs. Baunen, who, it was claimed, rented a room to the minister and Miss Overman, and that she will be produced in court. It is not believed such a woman exists.

Ely Swapped Off

ST LOUIS, Jan. 4.—Connie Mack, the Pittsburg baseball magnate, has completed a deal with Von der Ahe of the Browns whereby the famous shortstop, Ely, will play next season with the Smoky City team

Loan and Trust Company Assigns.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 4 —The Solicitors Loan and Trust company of this city made an assignment to Colonel T. De-Witt Cuyler, one of the directors.

Six Men Are Dead.

ST. LOUIS, Jan 4.—Six men are dead and two are missing as the result of the terrible explosion of fireworks in the H. B Grubbs commission building

True Amount of Gold Reserve.

WASHINGTON, Jan 4.—The treasury yesterday lost $1,000,000 in gold for export, which left the true amount of the gold reserve $61,546,046.

Fire In a Colliery.

HAZLETON, Pa , Jan 4 —Incendiary fire in the Cranberry colliery of Pardee & Company completely destroyed the colossal structure

Virginian Gets a Job.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—L. T. Meyers of Richmond was appointed assistant general superintendent of the railway mail service.

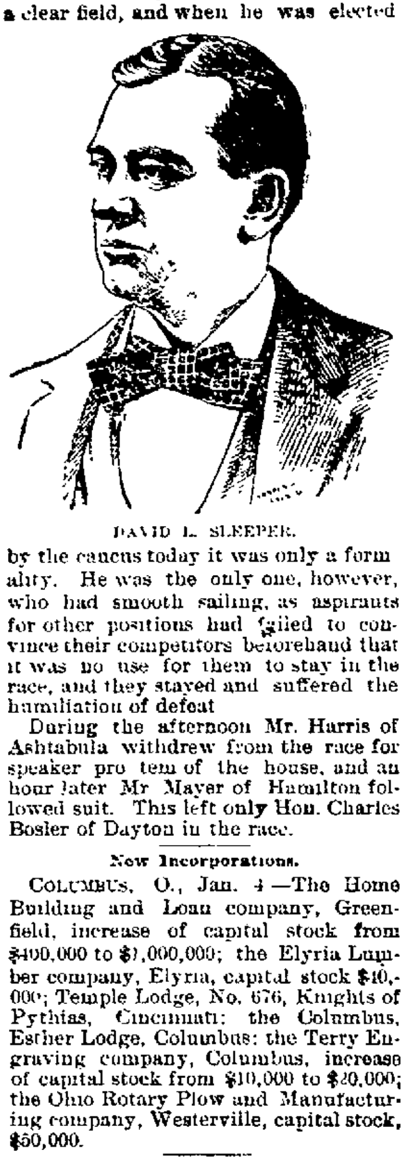
Wealthy Farmer Assigns.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Jan. 4.—L. A. Shellborn, farmer, has assigned. Assets, $24,000; liabilities, $15,000.

NO DOUBT ABOUT SLEEPER.

Other Candidates Did Not Have Such Smooth Sailing.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 4.—Mr. Boxwell's withdrawal from the house speakership contest recently left Mr. D. L. Sleeper a clear field, and when he was elected by the caucus today it was only a formality. He was the only one, however, who had smooth sailing, as aspirants for other positions had failed to convince their competitors beforehand that it was no use for them to stay in the race, and they stayed and suffered the humiliation of defeat



DAVID L. SLEEPER.

During the afternoon Mr. Harris of Ashtabula withdrew from the race for speaker pro tem of the house, and an hour later Mr Mayer of Hamilton followed suit. This left only Hon. Charles Bosler of Dayton in the race.

New Incorporations.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 4 —The Home Building and Loan company, Greenfield, increase of capital stock from $400,000 to $1,000,000; the Elyria Lumber company, Elyria, capital stock $40,000; Temple Lodge, No. 676, Knights of Pythias, Cincinnati: the Columbus, Esther Lodge, Columbus: the Terry Engraving company, Columbus, increase of capital stock from $10,000 to $20,000; the Ohio Rotary Plow and Manufacturing company, Westerville, capital stock, $50,000.

Police Officer Murdered.

COLUMBUS, O , Jan. 4.—Special Police Officer A T. Howard, who was struck on the head with a beer bottle by Chris Maner, bartender in Rafferty's saloon at Fifth avenue and Hunter street, while the officer was trying to quell a drunken row in the saloon on Dec. 21, is dead and Maner is held for murder in the second degree.

Children's Home Burned.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 4.—The main building of the Franklin County Children's home was damaged by fire to the extent of about $20,000, fully insured. The 137 children were preparing for breakfast at the time. They were hastily formed into ranks and marched to a place of safety. No one was injured.

Elected a President.

GAMBIER, O., Jan. 4.—The trustees of Kenyon college, located here, have just elected Professor L. S. Luther of Trinity college, Hartford, Conn., as president. Professor Theodore Sterling of the chair of natural sciences, who has been acting president since 1891, will resume his former position.

Wealthy Man In the Workhouse.

ZANESVILLE, O., Jan. 4 —W R. Frame of Tuscarawas county, who is serving a term in the workhouse for drunkenness, is trying to get out by the habeas corpus route. About the only plea is that he owns 320 acres of land and is very wealthy

Family Poisoned.

YOUNGSTOWN, O , Jan. 4.—William Forsyth, wife and child, were prostrated by eating poisoned mince pies. Mother and son are recovering, but the husband is in a dangerous condition. The family does not suspect any one and the officers are investigating

The Hermit Miser.

RAVENNA, O., Jan. 4.—George Spencer, hermit, has been placed in the county infirmary About $200 in gold which he had buried has been discovered, and it is believed he had much more.

His Conscience Hurt Him.

URBANA, O., Jan. 4.—Charles Kantz has confessed the crime of cohabiting with his 14-year-old stepdaughter. He was sent to jail in default of $500 to await the action of the grand jury.

Crushed to Death.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 4.—The ropes of an elevator cab at the Youngstown Steel company's plant broke and Michael Luearne was caught in the falling cab and crushed to death.

Youthful Indiscretion.

AKRON. O , Jan. 4.—Harry Lance, 14, put the butt end of a rifle in the stove to melt a bullet out. The bullet entered his breast near the heart and he can not recover

Woman Burned to Death.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Murphy, 70, who lived alone at 34 Gilbert avenue, was burned to death by a gasoline explosion.

Thrown From a Buggy.

ASHTABULA, O., Jan. 4 —Mrs. L. B. Stevens of Indianapolis was thrown from a buggy here and probably fatally injured.

Monument Dealer Assigns.

LEIPSIC, O., Jan. 4.—F. W. Underbill, monument dealer, has assigned. Assets, $3,000; liabilities, $7,000.

Lumber Yard Burned.

AKRON, O., Jan. 4.—The lumber yard of Jones & Parker was destroyed by fire. Loss, $20,000.

LOPEZ IS IN JAIL.

The Ex-President of Venezuela Taken Into Custody.

PROFOUND SENSATION CREATED.

Discovery of Revolutionary Correspondence With the Earmarks of British Capitalists Leads to the Arrest - President Crespo Will Issue a Proclamation Setting Forth Government's Position.

CARACAS, Jan. 4 —A profound sensation has been caused by the arrest of General Hermogene Lopez, once the president of Venezuela in the time of Guzman Blanco

The arrest was made because of the discovering of revolutionary correspondence involving Blanco. English capitalists have approached Guzman Blanco to stir up a rebellion here.

Among others arrested are General Gonzales, Guiana chief of police under Guzman Blanco; Domingo Carbajal, a revolutionary chief in the time of President Palacio; the Paredes brothers, and Valencia

President Crespo is determined to suppress the movement at any cost. The militia has been called but not armed yet, probably they will not be until everything is quiet

Tomorrow President Crespo will issue a printed address to the people of Venezuela giving the actual position of the government on the Guiana question: expressing the gratitude of the nation to President Cleveland for his attitude in upholding the Monroe doctrine, so necessary to the maintenance of the independence of the southern republics, and urging the people to bury political discord and present a solid front to the English invader.

At the same time General Crespo counsels the people to be calm, to refrain from violence and to await the action of the United States. The address will be read in the plazas of the different cities. There will also be speeches, music and fireworks.

A FLAT FAILURE.

The Philadelphia Streetcar Strike Was Not Very Disastrous.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 4 —The street railway strike ended in a complete fiasco after a few hours, in which no damage was done. There was no tieup and almost every line ran its cars as usual. This was because many of the motormen and conductors were opposed to a renewal of the strike.

Just the Man For the Position.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 4.—One of the professors who was in attendance upon the American Economic association said he hoped President Cleveland would leave Andrew White off the commission, because Mr. White is strongly in favor of the application of the Monroe doctrine and in favor of the stand taken by President Cleveland.

Economy With a Vengeance.

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—The Quebec legislature has passed a bill which provides that hereafter every alderman of the city of Montreal who votes grants in excess of available appropriations shall be personally responsible therefor and shall lose the right of sitting in the city council for five years.

Lord Dunraven Censured.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The gist of the report now in preparation for presentation to the New York Yacht club says Dunraven has begged the real question at issue. The report of the committee will present the testimony in a purely judicial manner and will censure the earl.

The Case Reopened.

NEW HAVEN, Jan 4 --Judge W K. Townsend in the United States circuit court reopened the case of the Thompson-Houston Electric company versus the Winchester Avenue Railway company in which, a few weeks ago, he rendered a decision for the plaintiff.

Board of Ordnance Report.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 —The secretary of war sent to the house the fifth annual report of the board of ordnance and fortifications for the year ending Oct 31, 1895 The estimate of funds required for the ensuing fiscal year is placed at $245,000.

Coudert Goes to Washington.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4 —Charles R. Coudert, who was recently appointed by President Cleveland as a member of the Venezuelan commission, left for Washington, where he will have a conference with his fellow commissioners and the president

Prominent Minister Dead.

BOSTON, Jan. 4. — Rev. Nathaniel George Clarke, D. D, LL D., for nearly 30 years prominently identified with the American board of commissioners of foreign missions, died at his home of heart disease

Prominent Citizen Dead.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4. — Washington Irving Adams, chairman of the executive committee of the National Photographic Association of America, is dead at his home at Mont Clair, N. J., aged 64

Will Be a Double Hanging.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Jan 4. — John Rose, negro, murderer of Clara Siegler, his white mistress, has been sentenced to hang June 5, 1896, the same day on which Miller, alias Martin, is to be executed.

Prices of Ohio Wool.

BOSTON, Jan. 4 —Ohio delaine wool sold as high as 22 cents and Ohio XX can be purchased for less than 20 cents.

Germany Will Protect Them.

ROME, Jan 4 —Italy has charged Germany with the protection of Italian subjects in the Transvaal.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

WILL CALL FOR BIDS.

The New Bonds Will Be Offered to the Public First.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Secretary Carlisle will at once issue a full statement to the public on the bond question. It will almost undoubtedly announce that the president will order a public loan. This information comes from a source which makes it impossible to question its truth The exact terms of the statement are still unsettled, but the chances are 10 to 1 that the loan will be offered to the public first If that call fails the government will fall back on the syndicate. The bond call has been arranged for Monday.

HAS A HUMOROUS SIDE.

Canadian Engineers Are With Us on the Alaskan Boundary.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—General Duffield, the chief of the coast and geodetic survey, presented to the secretary of state the joint report upon the Alaskan boundary which was agreed upon by him and the Canadian representative, Mr. King, at their meeting at Albany this week The greatest difference between the lines run by the engineers of the two governments is but six feet seven inches, or 15 seconds of longitude.

Charged With Embezzlement.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4 —James D Page, 47, once a prominent lawyer of San Francisco, was arrested in this city on a telegram from the San Francisco police, charging him with having embezzled trust funds of the estate of an insane ward named Lichtenberg, whose guardian he was, to the amount of 31,532

Poisoned the Witness.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan 4 —Marshall Adams, who was the principal witness to be called in the Fyler-McKone adultery case, was taken suddenly ill on the street and went into convulsions before he could be taken home His condition is critical. Physicians say it is a case of arsenic poisoning.

Wants Bowler Investigated.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The action of Comptroller Bowler of the treasury in refusing to approve the order under the bill passed by the last congress to pay sugar bounties, was officially brought to the attention of congress by a resolution which Mr Boatner of Louisiana introduced.

She Swore Falsely.

TRENTON, N J , Jan. 4 —Charles Atkinson, convicted of having criminally assaulted Mary Miller, his stepdaughter has been released from state prison after having served 20 months of his 10 years' sentence, on the statement of the girl that she swore falsely

To Be Electrocuted.

LOWVILLE, N. Y., Jan. 4.—John Hoch, who on July, 9, 1895, murdered Minnie Ingersoll, with whom he professed to be infatuated, has been sentenced to be executed in the Auburn prison during the week beginning Feb. 16.

Charged With Slander.

NEW YORK, Jan 4 —Mrs B. Mc Ghan, the wife of a well known newspaper war correspondent, had the Rev E. Balanovitzk, the pastor of the Russian church, before the police court The minister was accused of slander.

Prizefighter Killed.

NEW YORK, Jan 4 —Henry Rodenguez 20, died as the result of injuries sustained at a prizefight a few days ago Thomas Russell has been placed under arrest charged with having acted as referee. He denies the charge

Business Was Good.

MONTREAL, Jan 4 —The earnings of the Canadian Pacific railway for the week ending Dec 31 were $645,000, as compared with $500,000 for the corresponding period of last year

Hand and Feet Amputated.

ENGLISH, Ind., Jan. 4 --John Jones had one hand and both feet amputated as a result of having them frozen while stacking lumber last Tuesday

Relief May Be Extended.

WASHINGTON Jan 4.—The state department has been informed that the porte has consented to allow relief to be extended to the suffering Armenians through Americans resident in Turkey

Thinks It Is Knopfel.

CINCINNATI, Jan 4 —A farmer from Richwood, Ky , says the missing Alex Knopfel is at his house under guard and that he is insane. Friends have gone there to see the farmer's guest.

Succeeds Thomas Ewing

NEW YORK, Jan. 4 --John Vinton Dahlgren was sworn in as counsel to the building department in place of General Thomas Ewing, who resigned on account of ill health

Important Chinese Decision.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4 —Judge Morrow decided in the United States district court that every Chinese born in the United States is a citizen thereof

Earth's Charms Had Faded.

MUNCIE, Ind , Jan. 4 —Wesley Thompson, 63, suicided. He left a note saying earth's charms for him faded with the death of his wife.

The Horse and the Ass.

A horse, proud of his fine trappings, met an ass on the highway. The ass, being heavily laden with a cane and a large chrysanthemum, moved slowly out of the way. "Hardly," said the horse, "can I resist kicking you with my heels." The ass grew real angry and dashed his cigarette at the horse, saying: "You howwid cweatuh, if you dare to kick me I shawn't evah go to anothah of youah beastly old shows in the gahden, so thaiah!"

Moral.—The horse should have kicked him instead of talking through his hames.—Truth.

Another Star Added.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The president issued his proclamation, in conformity with the act of congress, declaring Utah a state

Rumor That Dr. Jameson Was Shot.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The Evening Standard says it is rumored that Dr. Jameson was shot after a drumhead court-martial

Turf Winners.

At New Orleans—Cotton King, Evanesca, George F Smith, Chugnut, David

Weather Indications.

For Ohio and Indiana—Fair and colder; northwesterly winds

For West Virginia—Fair and decidedly colder, northwesterly winds.

Broke Through the Ice.

BELLAIRE, O., Jan. 4.—Robert Fred, 16, broke through the ice while skating and was drowned.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Jan. 3.

New York.

Beef—Family, $10 00@12 00; extra mess, $8 00; packed, $9 00@10 00. Cut meats — Pickled bellies, 4¾@5¼c, pickled shoulders, 5c; pickled hams, 8@8¼c Lard—Western steam closed at $5 70 asked Pork—Old mess, $9 00@9 25 family, $10 00, short clear, $10 50@11 75.

Butter—Western dairy, 11@18c; do creamery 17@25c; do factory, 10@15c, Elgins, 24c; imitation creamery, 14@20c, state dairy, 13@21½c, creamery, 20@25c Cheese—State large, 7¾@10c small, 5@9c part skims, 3½@6c; full skims, 2@3c Eggs—State and Pennsylvania 20@22c ; western fresh, 20@21½c

Wheat—68¼c. Corn—31⅛c. Oats—23½c. Rye—42@45c.

Chicago.

Cattle — Fair to best beeves, $3 15@4 75; stockers and feeders, $2 50@3 70: mixed cows and bulls, $1 50@3 50: Texans, $2 75@3 70; western, $2 25@3 80.

Hogs — Light, $3 45@3 70; rough packing and shipping, $3 25@3 45 mixed and butchers', $3 40@3 67½; heavy packing and shipping, $3 35@3 67½; pigs $2 00@3 50

Sheep—Native, $1 75@3 25; western, $2 00@3 10, Texans, $1 00@2 70. Lambs—$3 00@4 50.

Wheat—55⅞c Corn — 25¾c. Rye — 31½c. Oats—16⅞c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle — Prime $4 25@4 50 fair to good butchers' $3 80@4 00, bulls, cows and stags, $1 50@3 00

Hogs — Heavy $3 65@3 75; medium, $3 80@3 85, roughs $3 00@3 25

Sheep and lambs—Choice sheep, $3 40@3 55; common, 75c@1 50, choice lambs, $3 00@5 25; exports, $3 15@3 50

Buffalo.

Cattle—Market firm

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 90@3 85; roughs, common to good, $3 15@3 75: mediums and heavies $3 85@3 90: pigs $1 85@3 85.

Sheep and Lambs—Extras, $2 40@2 85; good prime $2 00@2 25; common, $2 25@2 50, spring lambs, $4 50@4 75 Veal calves, $6 00@8 75.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—No 2 red, 67c Corn—No 2 mixed, 27½c Oats—No. 2 mixed, 20c. Rye—No. 2, 37@38c

Lard—$5 22½. Bulk meats—$1 87½. Bacon—$5 50

Hogs—$3 25@3 75 Cattle—$2 50@4 50 Sheep—$1 25@2 65 Lambs—$3 25@5 00.

Toledo.

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A TALE OF A TRUNK.

IT IS ATTACHED TO SATISFY A BILL OF OVER FOUR DOLLARS.

Officers Tug the Load Up Stairs and Open the Trunk To Find Its Contents Are Old Iron, Rubbish, and the Like of That. The Owner Gone.

The police have the laugh on Officer Munsell, 'Squire McKinley and W. J. Geiger, although none of them are in the least bit responsible for the very practical joke that was played on them. Clyde Kirke, a very popular young fellow, who has been employed at the Vestibole, got ready to go home Friday and Thursday night sent his trunk to the C., H. V. and T.

Clyde owed a bill of something like four dollars and fifty cents at W. J. Geiger's, and Mr. Geiger hearing that he was going to leave had attachment papers issued to secure the trunk to make himself safe on the bill. The papers were given to Officer Smith, and he could not identify the trunk at the depot, and waited until he was certain. In the meantime Kirk heard of the matter and offered to settle but was told that it was too late, and he would have to pay 'Squire McKinley.

The attachment, however, had not been served, and Kirk had the trunk removed to Harry Kear's. Officer Munsell then took the papers and went to Kear's and found the trunk. It was quite heavy, and he secured assistance and had it removed to the office of 'Squire McKinley, where it remained in the back room until this morning. It was thought wise to appraise its contents.

Mr. Geiger was sent for and the trunk was opened. Then all stepped back in astonishment, for the trunk did not contain men's wearing apparel. It was full of bricks, an old valise, several pieces of old iron and articles of rubbish that would increase its weight without adding to the value.

Constable Huggins smiled. It was a horse on the other fellow and he could afford to laugh. Mr. Geiger was naturally disappointed, and 'Squire McKinley was chagrined to think that his office should become a receptable for a box of old rubbish, but as yet the sale of the trunk and contents have not been published, but they will have to bring two-thirds of the appraisement which amounts to one dollar and eleven cents, according to the market price of old iron.

Kirk in the meantime left the city undisturbed, and went to his home in Newark, Ohio.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The December number of the Big Four Industrial Series, just out, contains a fine likeness of G. W. Kittridge chief engineer of the Big Four.

George Kennedy has resigned as train dispatcher of the Big Four at Bellefontaine to go into business at Union City, and is succeeded by A Kelly, of Cleveland.

There has been considerable curiosity as to how the Erie people would operate the enlarged system. Circulars unfolded the plan, indicating a uniformity of operation, but a separation of the system into eastern and western lines, the four vice presidents at New York to have charge of the entire property in their respective departments.

The output of car shops in 1895 was 31,893 freight cars, compared with 17,029, in 1894. This, however, was not high, as there were built 51,000 in 1893 and 93,000 in 1892. The small construction for two years indicates that special efforts have been made to continue the use of the old equipment, and that the demand in this year must be considerable.

Chief Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive engineers, has been in conference with committees representing the engineers on the Plant system. General Superintendent Dunham has referred the matter of contracts to President H. B. Plant, and it is the impression that he will indorse the position his several superintendents have taken in opposition to written contracts.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER

Program of Union Meeting Adopted by Ministers' Association.

Time—2 p. m. each day.

Monday, January 6—Presbyterian church, "Humiliation and Thanksgiving." Leader, Fred K. Gamble.

Tuesday, January 7—Reformed church, "The Church Universal." Leader, Rev. A. Skidmore.

Wednesday, January 8—United Brethren, "Nations and Their Rulers." Leader, Rev. A. Bartley.

Thursday, January 9—Evangelical church, "Foreign Missions." Leader, Rev. F. C. Withoff.

Friday, January 10—Methodist Episcopal, "Home Missions." Leader, Rev A. Vandersall.

Saturday, January 11—Free Baptist, "Families and Schools." Leader, Rev W. F. Durr.

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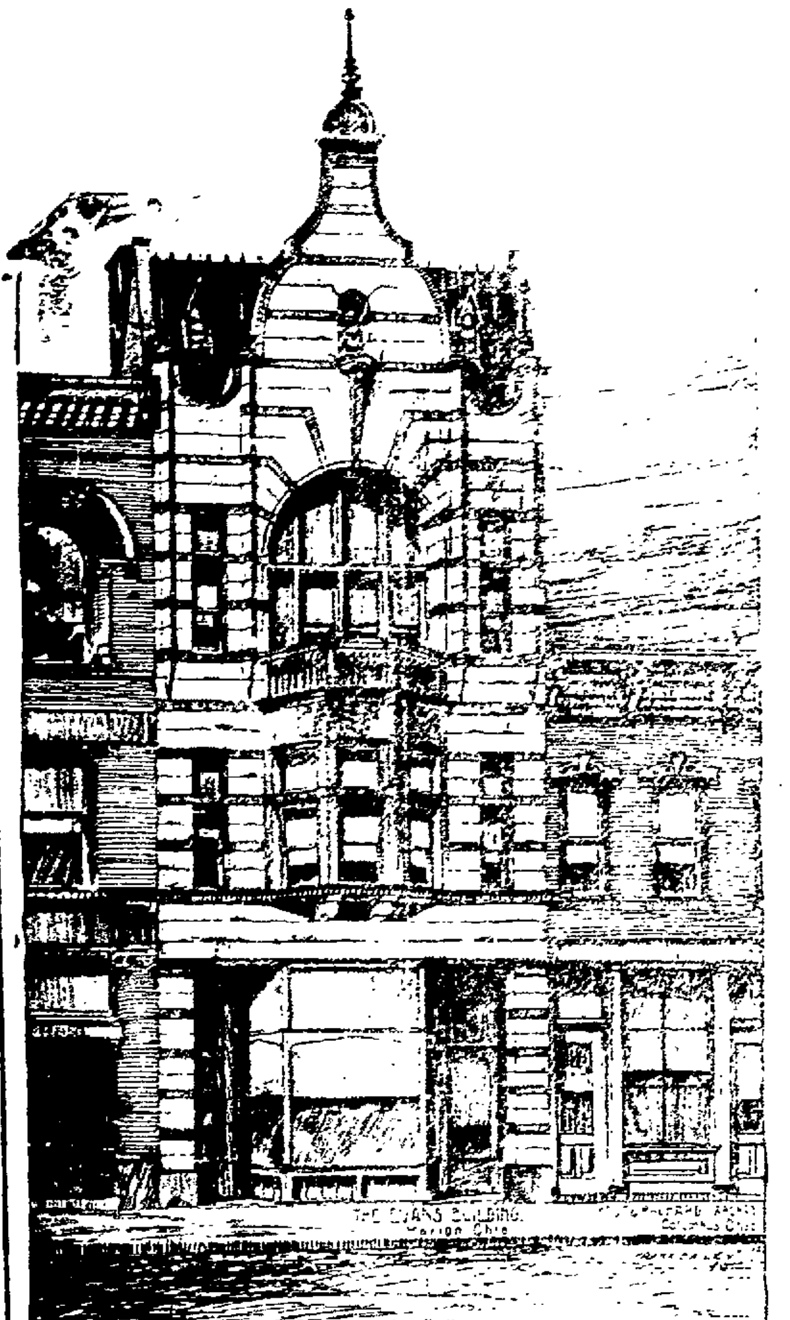
THE EVANS BUILDING, Marion Ohio.
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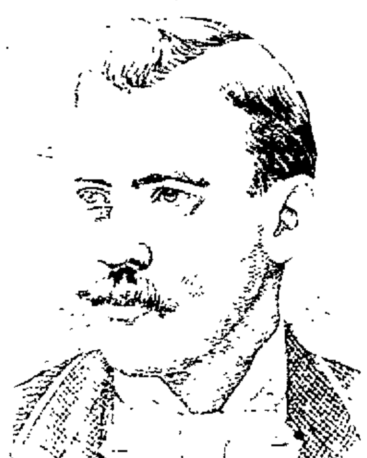
THE NEW EVANS BLOCK

Something of the Handsome, Modern Business Structure On East Center Street.

The front elevation of the new Evans block, given herewith, is the first sketch of the handsome new structure given to the public, and is especially interesting just now when workmen are fast approaching the completion of the exterior walls, after which the building can be enclosed and hurried to completion, for it is expected to have it ready for occupancy next March 1st.



CONTRACTOR JAS. C. GAULT.

The view of the front tells its own story for the appearance of the exterior. The handsome, stately Gothic style is distinct among Marion business blocks, and cannot fail to enlist admiration. The front walls are of Marion blue limestone, trimmed with Lake Superior red sand-stone, and shows as striking masonry as is seen anywhere.

The floor dimensions are 22 to 27 x 132, and the rear first floor has a glass exterior—a "rear front," if such a term is admissible.

The second floor will be fitted in offices and living suites, the third floor has already been leased to the Kitchi Gamma club and will be fitted to their order.

The basement and three floors will be connected by passenger elevator, in addition to stairs.

The furnishings of the building are to be first-class. The vestibule in front and main stairway is to be wainscoted with marble and the plumbing and heating throughout is to be of the best. The building complete costs something over $18,000. Mrs. Mary Evans is the owner of the new structure. James C. Gault has the contract for the entire job and is pushing the work forward with characteristic energy. Yost & Packard, the Columbus architects, who have lately contributed much to the improvement of Marion structures, are the architects of the new structure.

Sheriff Sales.

The sheriff today sold under orders of the court of common pleas the Fetter property on Mt. Vernon avenue to J. F. Lust, Jacob Fetter and Leonard Fetter for $277; the Kline lots, Nos. 3662 and 3667 in Patten & Hardge's addition to Marion to J. R. Morrow for $72 and $84 respectively, and the Kline lots, Nos. 3658, 3661 and 3666 in the same addition to George Chamberlain for $40, $77 and $85, respectively. The Cope property was not offered.

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A Mountain Courtship.

"I was in what is known as the 'flag pond' district of Unicoi county, Tenn.," said a traveling man to a Star writer, "when a young man rode up in front of the cabin where I was stopping and spoke to a girl who was dipping water from a spring.

"Howdy, Sal."

"Howdy, Tom."

"Come jump on the hoss an go to Erwin with me."

"What fur?"

"Ter git married."

"But ye hain't done co'ted me yit."

"I know I hain't, but I've done been too pestered with work. I allus intended ter marry yer, though."

"But I hain't got no clo's," remonstrated the girl.

"Well, we'll jess ride on yon side of Erwin to sister Mag's in the cove, an I'll git yer a dress."

"Shorely, Tom."

"Shorely, Sal."

"What kin' of a dress?"

"Best thar is in Lowe's sto'."

Not another word was said. Sal dropped the bucket and jumped on the horse, shouting to her mother:

"Mam, me an Tom is goin ter git married at Erwin. We'll be by here in the mornin."

The mother started as if to call her back, but the horse was galloping down the lane, and she went and carried in the bucket of water without comment.—Washington Star.

The Original One.

Adam had slept too long.

He felt sore of it as he stretched himself, yawned and rose, with a heavy sensation in his head and a lightness round his stomach, to take a turn about the garden.

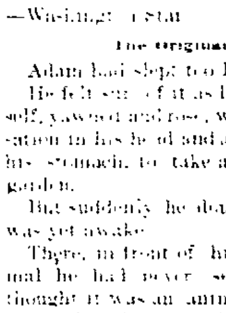
But suddenly he doubted whether he was yet awake.

There, in front of him, was an animal he had never seen before. He thought it was an animal. But it was strangely like himself, yet strangely different. His surprise increased. For some moments he was speechless. Then "What are you?" he gasped.

The unusual creature smiled.

She picked a loose hair off one of his shoulders, compared it with his wild unkempt locks and smiled again.

"I am the new woman," she said.—Life.



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MOST DELIGHTFUL

Was the House-warming at the New Home of Mr. Bibler.

JUSTLY proud can any man be when he moves into his new house, but twice proud can he be when he knows the home is the fruit of honest toil even though long years of work and strict economy were necessary to bring him into possession of it. Justly proud also can any community be of a family which could gather within itself such sterling qualities as [illegible] that friends and neighbors for miles around are only too glad to assemble at the grand house-warming and by their presence and with their words of cheer impress upon the host and hostess their appreciation of them as friends and neighbors.

It is at comparatively rare intervals such happy events take place, and for this very reason, when they do, they afford all the keener enjoyment to all whose good fortune it is to be present. Not a more enjoyable occasion of this kind ever took place than at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Bibler, who are among the most prominent and highly esteemed residents of Brush Ridge, seven miles north of the city.

On New Year's day a large company responded to invitations to go to the elegant new home of Mr. and Mrs. Bibler and enjoy a visit and a general house-warming with them. To the invitations all who were not unavoidably detained responded and all day the hum of conversation and merry peals of laughter resounded throughout the house. About 175 guests were present and many were the stories told of the joys and trials of the pioneer days and of the hopes and disappointments of the later years. The company was a happy one and dull care had no place in the assemblage, although, perhaps, dull pain might have had a place in some stomachs after the bountiful dinner had been served. And such a dinner: the tables didn't groan—they never do—but many a guest felt like groaning when his utter inability to do justice to the most generous supply of good things set before him was realized. The proverbial plentitude of the country dinner was outdone. Three large tables were surrounded three times and after all had been more than satisfied there was yet enough to spare.

After the dinner hour the guests devoted the time to social converse and the enjoyment of an impromptu program. Rev. A. R. Toothacre, of Morral, presided and short remarks appropriate to the occasion were made by Messrs. John Hite, A. D. Bretz, A. J. Peter, N. E. Thatcher, J. P. Barnthouse and A. L. Brown. Miss Kate Baer rendered some very pleasing instrumental music and Miss Myrtle Bibler and L. D. Seitz recited appropriate and pleasing declamations. Rev. Toothacre then in well chosen remarks presented to Mr. and Mrs. Bibler with the best wishes of friends a work basket, picture, easy chair and china. At the close of his remarks, Mr. Bibler in a few well spoken words expressed his pleasure at the manifestations of his friends and extended to them an invitation to visit the home at pleasure, an invitation which will be gladly accepted. One of the most attractive presents was an antique oak secretary which was sent to grace the Bibler home by Dr. O. W. Weeks, of this city, who is Mrs. Bibler's uncle.

The day was given up to the older folks, but it was not the intention of the host and hostess that the joy should be confined to the older ones alone, and in the evening the young people gathered in and the festivities of the day, with various and sundry additions, so dear to the rising generation, were repeated.

But few days like this come in a short and eventful life, but upon this occasion the house was well worthy of the honor bestowed upon it. It is a beautiful and substantial structure containing nine rooms, cellar and bath room. It stands exactly on the summit of the Ohio water-shed and it is related that the water from one end of the stock trough runs into Lake Erie and from the other end into the Ohio river. There is not a more substantial dwelling in that part of the country, for every detail of the construction was watched with that jealous care which only a husband and wife after long years of expectancy could exercise in the erection of a home. It was with pride that Mrs. Bibler pointed out little details which would have escaped the attention of a less careful and observing housewife. They are indeed to be congratulated upon the acquirement of so beautiful a home.

The friends and neighbors present were John Hite and wife, Uncle Ben Hite, A. D. Bretz, J. P. Barnthouse and wife, Harvey Bibler and family, Simon Campbell and wife, Lawrence Baumwright and family, Wm. Simmons and wife, A. Hite, J. A. May and wife, D. C. Simmons, Geo. Ricks and wife, J. A. Baer and wife, Rev. A. R. Toothacre, A. L. Brown and family, W. S. Harvey and wife, E. Brown and family, Wm. Hinamon and family, D. R. Powell and family, [illegible] Mrs. D. Sheets and son, Felton H[illegible], Oliver Hite, J. M. Peters and wife, Chas. Schultz and wife, [illegible] and wife, E. W[illegible] and wife, [illegible] Stewart, Mrs. D. D. Morse and daughter, L. Osborn and family, Mrs. H. Baer and daughter, [illegible] Marion Hoover and family, [illegible] Seitz and family, Wm. [illegible] and wife, Levi Hite and wife, R. [illegible] and wife, Mrs. J. Harris and daughter, Miss Ada Bretz, Mrs. [illegible], Wm. Stemmetz, Mrs. Fred [illegible] and daughter and Miss Kate Mattox.

Those present from a distance were Miss Retta Kessler, [illegible] Mrs. Sophia Nichols, Newark; Marguerite MacNeil, [illegible] and family, N. E. Thatcher and wife, A. J. Peters and family, D. M. [illegible] and wife, L. D. Seitz, [illegible] Daily, Mrs. George H[illegible], Ezra Campbell and wife, [illegible] Marion; Miss Louisa Peters and family of Centerton, and Miss Fannie Brown, [illegible].

OBITUARIES

MILLER—George Christian Miller was born in the city of Marion, O., March 12, 1845, and died at his home in Dayton, Dec. 17, 1895, aged 50 years, 9 months and 5 days.

Mr. Miller's boyhood days were spent in his native county, partly in the city and partly on the farm of his father. As a boy at home he showed in a marked degree the manly and far too rare qualities which by proper cultivation came to such beautiful fruitage, in his full manhood as son, husband, father and neighbor. His early years were full of industry, and gave no place for idle thoughts. On May 29, 1861, when but just past his 16th year, he answered the call of the immortal Lincoln, to the defense of his country and flag, and on that day signed the muster roll and, after an affectionate farewell at his dearly loved home, having received the tender goodby kiss of his aged mother who still survives, he marched away to join the army of the Potomac, and fought with this army in some of their most dreadful battles. After having been captured by the enemy and held as a prisoner of war for six days he was exchanged and immediately transferred from the infantry to Company M, 2d U. S. cavalry, under that cavalry leader of worldwide fame, Gen. Philip Sheridan. In this company of brave union knights he fought until the close of the war, ever in the thickest of the battle, taking the most responsible as well as most dangerous position at the command of his superiors. At the close of the war he did not have the great joy that many of the boys had of laying down his arms and returning to his home and loved ones, but still hearing the call of his country he remained in the regular army stationed in Colorado on the frontier for more than two years longer. He was finally discharged in 1867, after over six years of hard service in the defense of our country and homes. Have you wondered why Mr. Miller was so punctual and orderly in all he did? It became a part of his very life to be on time and always in order. While in the service of his country he had many very narrow escapes from death. He had three horses shot from under him, and yet in all his danger he never received the scratch of a bullet.

On the 14th day of March, 1878, he was united in marriage to Miss Louise Schraefer, of Cincinnati, with whom he has lived in the most perfect and happy relation since that day. No home was brighter, no atmosphere purer and sweeter than that which pervaded this home. Affection had its perfect work here. After a short residence in Cincinnati and at Circleville, Ohio, he, with his wife and one child, moved to this city (Dayton) in 1880. For more than thirteen years they have resided in this section of the city where their friends are numbered by the hundreds. To this union of lives has been born four children, three of whom, all girls, still survive the father.

Mr. Miller was a man of remarkably good habits and character; indeed, he was a most remarkable example. He also leaves to mourn his death two sisters in Iowa, one sister residing near Galion, two half brothers, Mr. G. A. Davidson, of this city, and B. O. Davidson of near Nevada, O., a mother and a wife, his father, two brothers and one sister having preceded him to heaven.

His death was very sudden and unexpected, having been sick only five days with pneumonia and heart trouble. He peacefully passed away on Tuesday morning, December 17, 1895, at 5:30 o'clock.

He was a faithful member of the United Brethren church, on Hartford street. G. A. DAVIDSON.

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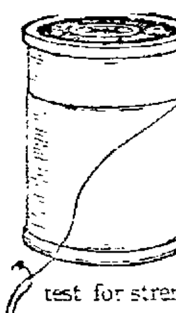

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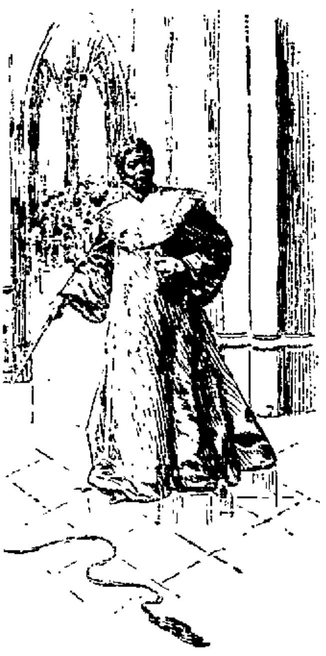
tal of Venezuela, is a A correspondent of nd, writing from there,

few of the men here the street unarmed. In ezuela is as bad as Ar- was. There are laws carrying of concealed they are never observed. ssors in the university that he is convinced that students who attends his olver in his hip pocket. often worn as much for protection or aggression. with silver spurs and gay prances about on a frisky horse is not fully equip- brace of revolvers. The who trudge the country burros' backs take special knives they carry in fancy waists, and which are for cutting food or ene- machete is so long convenient way to carry it It is the most terrible is used for every pos times of peace, opening cutting down trees, digging

life is held very cheap in Ven- by the law of the land in with murderers. There is no cap- ishment here, and a man who is handed in crime knows that sentence that could be imposed is ten years' imprisonment. The I am told, are sent to a prison marshy district near the western where the man who survives his



THE PERERO OF CARACAS.

is a phenomenon and where two is as much as most men can endure. bing and shooting affrays are very mon and rarely receive more attention half a dozen lines in the local papers, hich sympathy is expressed for the ives of the deceased.

he proportion of men that one sees in treets of Caracas who are minus an or a leg is greater by far than it was e United States at the close of the war. Comparatively few of the crip- here were maimed in battle during evolutions, most of them having been in private brawls.

olice regulations in Caracas are not t, but I was very much amused the night by seeing a policeman calmly ing a gambling game. Several resi- s of the city, to whom I mentioned ncident, did not seem to think it par- arly strange. A gentleman who lives thought I would be interested in see- native baile or public ball. He took a place in a side street in the center e city. Strains of music floated from pen windows, making it very easy to as all the neighboring houses were and as still as the grave. We passed ugh a little barroom into a larger ment, used for gambling. Around a al table was a dense crowd, mainly osed of negroes, many of whom were with alpargatos, the sandal almost ersally worn by the poorer classes and s without stockings. Piles of silver e table represented the bets. A po- an in uniform, rifle in hand, stood e back steps, smoking a cigarette and ing the game over the heads of the rs.

sign on the wall notified gentlemen ing alpargatos that they must not on the ballroom floor. The baile proved very low and very uninterest- and except in costumes and complex- differed very little from affairs of the kind in New York.

here is a great deal of drinking in cas and the liquor is exceptionally The average corner saloon in New is a palace compared to the places and the quality of drinks sold in will not stand comparison. Brandy e favorite tipple, and only the cheap- is sold. Rum is inexpensive and gh favor. Whisky is a luxury not ny found.

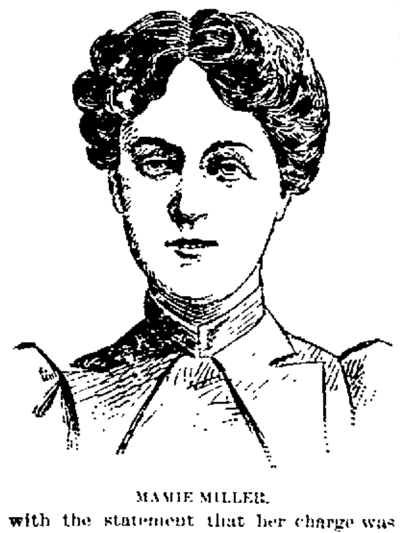
ogs form the main crop of the coun- grow in all sizes and shapes, ting those laid down by authorities among special breeds. Many of the one sees in the streets are mangy with sores, and a wholesome would be a public benefit.

that the supply of dogs has al- in Caracas, as the cathe- al functionary, called a The present occupant with a black face, very bright set of teeth. In the any other little fellow keep his face particularly the cathedral he is quite im- gown of dark purplish white collar. He carries whip, with a long walks about with all in the army carrying He is quite ex- occasionally prove

LIKE BARBARA AUB.

The Case of Mamie Miller Worse Than That of the New York Perjurer.

The case of Barbara Aub, who recently created a sensation in New York by trying to send a man to prison on false testimony, has been paralleled by Mamie Miller of Camden, N. J. The case of Mamie Miller is more aggravated than that of Barbara Aub, for her victim has served 17 months in prison in consequence of her perjury. In July, 1894, Mamie Miller swore that her stepfather, Charles Atkinson, had assaulted her, and after a hurried trial, in which Atkinson says he did not have a fair opportunity for defense, he was sentenced to ten years in the state prison. Now the girl, who is an inmate of the State Industrial school, comes forward with the statement that her charge was wholly false, and that she made it to get her stepfather out of the way so that she might be rid of his interference with her freedom.



MAMIE MILLER.

Mamie is 19 years old now and has been a very wayward girl for some years. Her stepfather saw that she was going at a dangerous pace, remonstrated with her and finally had her apprehended and sent to the State Industrial school, which is practically a reform school for wayward and incorrigible girls. Making a pretense of repentance, she was released and returned home.

After a few months of quiet life she renewed her former associations. Her companions encouraged her, and when she was threatened with a return to the school her companions devised a scheme for her permanent freedom. They induced her to make a charge to the police that her father had assaulted her. He was promptly arrested, and the girl went on the stand and described the assault at her own home with a minuteness of detail that convinced the jury that he was guilty, and he was sentenced to ten years at hard labor, and she was returned to the Industrial school. Her father stoutly maintained that he was innocent of the crime, and from the state prison he wrote a letter begging her to tell the truth and save him. She pondered over this letter for some time and finally confessed.

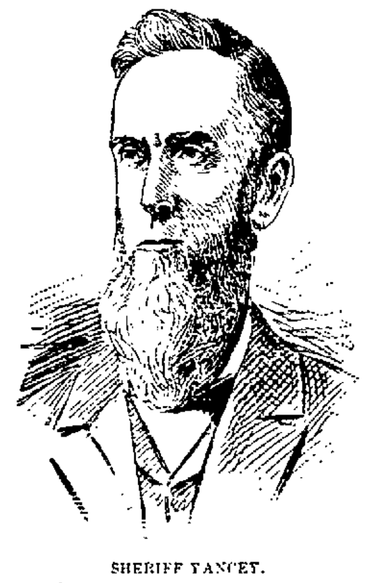
Atkinson has been pardoned, but what can compensate him for 17 months in the penitentiary at Trenton? If his representations are true, his trial was a travesty on justice. He says: "My trial was called the last day of the term of court, and there seemed to be a desire to conclude the business of the term, and my lawyer let the case go to the jury without examining any of my witnesses. He said he had an engagement the next day and could not attend court. So he only examined me and let the case go to the jury. I had 13 witnesses in court, but none was called. Mrs. Atkinson, the girl's mother, was there to testify, but she was not allowed to proceed, and I was convicted on the unsubstantiated testimony of Mamie."

THEY ROBBED THE JAIL.

Burglars Broke Into a Cell and Got Away With Considerable Cash.

The remark is often heard that this man or that boy is trying to break into jail, meaning that he is following the wicked ways that will land him in jail unless he turns from them. When a thief actually does break into jail, the public is about as much startled as it would be over the announcement that a peace officer had become the victim of a highwayman. Yet burglars broke into the Tuolumne county jail, in California, recently and secured $2,000 in cash, leaving no clew that might lead to their detection.

For a good many years it has been the habit of the sheriff of the county, who is tax collector as well, to provide for the safe keeping of the money which he has received during the day, but which he has not had time to turn over to the county treasurer, by taking it to the jail and locking it up in a cell. It was naturally supposed that a lock which was strong enough to keep thieves in ought to be strong enough to keep thieves out.



SHERIFF YANCEY.

Sheriff Yancey has followed the custom of his predecessors in his care of the cash, and every evening when he closed his office he carried the surplus over to the jail and locked it up in one of the cells which leads off from that portion of the strong building which is known as the women's department, but which in the absence of female prisoners has for years been used for a summer kitchen.

Besides this habit in regard to the care of the cash Sheriff Yancey had another habit, that of going down town about 7.30 o'clock each evening and returning about 9:30. His exact habits in these two regards must have been pretty well known to the thieves who despoiled the strong box, for no other cell in the whole jail was tampered with, showing that they knew just where to look for what they wanted.

LETTERS TO BILL NYE

HE ELUCIDATES THE MONROE DOCTRINE FOR A CORRESPONDENT.

And Gives Some Information About His Youthful Ambition to Be a Tragedian and How He Was Outstripped—A Dark Examination Paper.

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A gentleman friend writes to ask about the present conditions of the Monroe doctrine in this country. The Monroe doctrine affords much comfort to those who are kept indoors during the winter. On long winter evenings, together with doughnuts and hard cider, it serves to pass the time most delightfully for elderly men who are exempt from taxation and military duty.

In forming a republic 200 years ago or more I cannot believe that this country tacitly agreed to foster every 10 cent riot in South America or to put ice on every hot tamale there or elsewhere which, under the name of a revolution for the purpose of establishing a republic, might rob and pillage and destroy, hoping to flee for shelter to the parent republic.

NOTICE
NO SMUGGLING ALLOWED.

SMUGGLING.

When James Monroe said in 1823 that "we should consider any attempt on the part of the allied powers to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety, and that we could not view any interposition for the purpose of oppressing governments on this side of the water whose independence we had acknowledged or controlling in any manner their destiny by any European power in any other light than as a manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States," he did not realize that revolutions and assorted sizes of republics would some day become a business, and that the time might come, too, when the department of state at Washington would be kept so busy recognizing new and prattling republics that other and more important business would have to be abandoned.

In less than two years Mr. J. Q. Adams, then president, and Mr. Monroe's secretary of state when the above doctrine was composed, saw that the spirit of the Monroe doctrine needed more careful elucidation, and so he said at the time of the congress of American powers at Panama in 1825 that "an agreement between all the parties represented at the meeting that each will guard by its own means against the establishment of any future European colony within its borders may be found desirable."

Though I may be the warm friend of a high protective tariff theoretically and a vigorous smuggler in practice, I am not bound by any law, local or international, to jerk from jail every culprit who may injudiciously adopt and overdo the above doctrine.

So, while in a conservative way we might swap cherry pectoral and beads for the state of Pennsylvania and then declare our independence, the science of private and personal rebellion and the custom of producing revolutions regularly on Tuesdays and Fridays need not be at all times aided and abetted by the pioneer republic.

Second.—You were misinformed about my ambitions to shine as a tragedian when young. I did do a little amateur acting and once went to a neighboring town quietly—on rubbers, in fact—to act out on the stage, but gave it up.

In the great field of tragedy I had a girl friend at school who was my equal and rival in that line for several years but at the end of that time she took to the ballet and so of course outstripped me.

Third.—No; children do not mean to be irreverent in their remarks. They speak freely and without the shackles of superstition upon their tongues. A little girl neighbor the other day went to church for the first time, and her aunt asked her on her return how she enjoyed it.

"Not at all, auntie," said she. "They wuz vewy wude people—offul wude. They had bweakfust and never give me a bite."

Emeline, Goshen, Ind.—Yes, you may address me as "My Dear Mr. Nye." You understand, of course, that it can never ripen into anything riper than that. I like your heart to heart letters, but must caution you about cherishing any false hopes of impairing the tissues of my tough and obdurate heart. There are days, too, Emeline, when I do not feel like writing in the way you seem to prefer. We will be good friends, and I will be glad at all times to hear how you are making it out in your hand to hand contest with the world and the spelling book. Write whenever you cannot resist this feeling, and if I cannot get time to read your letters there is a young man assisting me this winter who will attend to it.

Second.—You err from a grammatical standpoint in your novel, a copy of which you send me. On page 289 you say, "I was one of six others to dine at this delightful place." You should avoid a dinner, Emeline, that makes you "one of six others." Sometimes pudding sauce will do that.

Generally a great many inquiries come to me regarding the advancement of the colored people. I am glad to note that there is a wholesome ambition among them to improve, and that it is bearing fruit too. Here, however, is an examination paper turned in by a teacher who desired a license to spread abroad such knowledge as he possessed. The examination occurred in the Pee Dee country and is absolutely bona fide:

Question.—What effect has tobacco on the teeth?

Answer.—It give' your teeth a red look.

Q.—What on digestion?

A.—Eaten flour bread with thanks. (2) It causes the digestion to be weak and watery, and it cause uss to be sick of the stomac.

Q.—What on the bones?

A.—Meat is on the bones. (2) It effects the bones woos than the flesh.

Q.—What on the flesh?

A.—Skin is on the flesh.

Q.—Which is more injurious, chewing or smoking, and why?

A.—Smoking is more injurious then chewin because it effect your longs chewing only effect your teeth and gives you a bad breath.

Q.—What can you say of cigarette smoking?

A.—They will effect your longs. (2) They stop the groth of the young.

Q.—What effect has intoxicating drink on the digestion?

A.—It cause them not to diges well it cause the appetite to grow but the fat is not sound, and it burn your haslet all to pieces.

Q.—What on the brain?

A.—Fire on the brain. It cause them to be addle and they loosing a part of they sense for a while and when they get sober it will come back agane.

Q.—What on the muscles?

A.—Flesh on the muscle.

Q.—What on the nerves?

A.—A big heart on the nerves.

Q.—Give a brief account of the settlement of South Carolina.

A.—It was settle by the irishman and they fout hard keeping the endian back so they might settle.

Q.—Give an account of the contest of 1876 in this state.

A.—The publiken party got defeeted and has been defeated ever sence.

Q.—What is a sentence?

A.—Clock rund is a sentence.

Q.—What are the principal parts of a sentence?

A.—The beginning and the ending.

Q.—Name your county senator and representatives.

A.—Grover Cleveland and Ben Tillman.

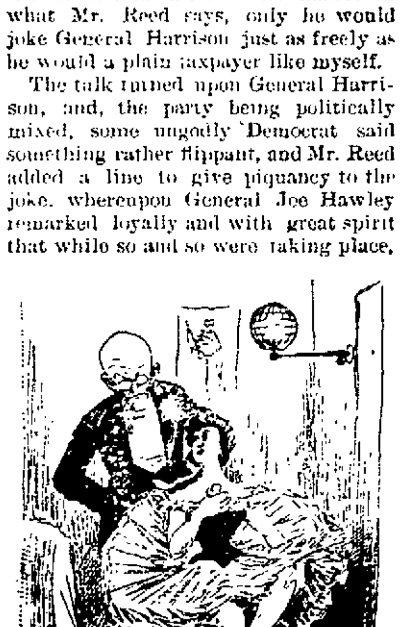
I do not know what a haslet is. Will some kind friend give us a little light on the haslet? What bearing has it on digestion? Is it due east or south of the gall, and is it larger in a colored person than in a white one? Will some confirmed inebriate—either dark or light, as they say where the colored vote is very much sought after—kindly throw a flood of light upon this question, so that every school child, black or white, bond or free, shall know what the haslet is?

A young man who says that he is living on a farm near Bucksport, Me., and working it on shares, while his team ekes out a somewhat precarious livelihood by subsisting on the lichens that grow in great abundance on the north side of a large bowlder which bounds his farm on the east, asks what the personal feeling is between Thomas B. Reed and General Harrison.

I do not know what it is. I think, however, that it is entirely friendly. Mr. Reed may have said in his buoyant way what might have been called or perverted into criticism, but it was only designed as repartee.

I may be pardoned for saying that I remember such a little passage, and as it did not amount to anything I repeat it to show that there is no malice in what Mr. Reed says, only he would joke General Harrison just as freely as he would a plain taxpayer like myself.

The talk turned upon General Harrison, and, the party being politically mixed, some ungodly Democrat said something rather flippant, and Mr. Reed added a line to give piquancy to the joke, whereupon General Joe Hawley remarked loyally and with great spirit that while so and so were taking place, as referred to in the previous conversation, General Harrison was putting down the rebellion and saving the Union.



HE WAS OUTSTRIPPED.

"Yes," said Reed, "I know. But he didn't do all of it."

Last week a home missionary who did much to preach the Christian religion into North Carolina, and who is now introducing the Bible into New Jersey, returned for a short visit to the Blue Ridge, and especially Bear Waller, near my estate. Years ago he entered the village in a suit of spotless black, and toward evening a friend saw him returning a perfect wreck as regards clothes. He was a sight to behold. He had red clay and mud and swamp grass and aquatic plants all over his system, and the general impression was that the missionary had been wallowed in the swamp by some freethinker who was in better training than he.

Recently a friend asked him about it. "Yes," said the missionary, "I remember it. It wasn't a fight. It was a baptism. I had a convert up in Bear Waller who seemed to have his heart set on immersion. You take most of our brands that we snatch from the burning, and the higher up the headwaters they live and the less moisture there is in the neighborhood the more they yearn for immersion, and the bigger they are the more they seem set on a general renovation in a boundless pond.

"This man weighed a good deal over 200 pounds, and he had been as wicked as a man could be so far away from town. If he had been where he could have had gas and modern ways, he thought he could have piled up a bigger mass of sin, but he allowed that when you come to see how thin the settlement was he thought he had made some local reputation as a sinner.

"He was not only a massive man, but he had a stiff leg. Now, we dammed up a small branch so as to get a little depth of water, and the wife of the 'brand' agreed to help me, but the bottom of the creek was like grease, for that red clay has mica in it, and not only the ungodly man, but the preacher also, stands in slippery places at a baptism, and so, when I would put that man under, his stiff leg would fly up, and when I put the leg under he would float otherwise.

"In the midst of it the wife got scared and fled. My feet slid out from under me, and the yellow water closed over us both. But there wasn't room for both of us to drown in comfortably, and especially after kindly hands had ripped out the dam.

"As the waters subsided the salubrious climate took its place, and, barring the injury to my clothes, I regard the baptism as a success, not so much, of course, from a spectacular point of view, but as a general submersion and symbolical 'June fresh.'"

Bill Nye

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LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County of Lucas and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of catarrh that can not be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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Explained.

"What is a 'green Christmas?'"

"It's one of these Christmases where a man gives a $30 gold locket to a girl who knits him 15 cent yarn wristlets."—Chicago Record.

If suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases and always with like results. It never fails.

Looking at the Bright Side.

"Wasn't it splendid," said the wife of the Turkish officer, "that the sultan should raise your salary?"

"Ye-es," was the reply of the man who has cause to doubt. "I suppose it's nice in one way. You can afford to give me a more expensive funeral."—Washington Star.

Fair and beautiful—the woman who keeps at a distance the complexion beautifiers, paints and powders, which soon ruin the face. A healthy glow to the skin, a face without wrinkles, and sparkling eyes, will be yours if you keep the system and the special internal organs in good condition. The young girl, or woman, often grows pale, wrinkled and thin, eats little, everything wearies her, she complains of herself as aching and sore and as sleeping poorly. Often she is troubled with backache, or a tender spine, with a bearing-down weight in the abdomen, or at periods she may be irregular, or suffer extreme pain from functional derangements.

Dr Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y., in his long and active experience, met many cases of this kind, for which he used a prescription which was found to cure such difficulties permanently in *ninety-eight per cent.* of all cases. Having proven so successful, Dr. Pierce put his "Favorite Prescription" on the market, and it is to-day sold more largely than any other medicine for the ills of woman.

For all functional derangements, displacements, ulceration, inflammation, and the catarrhal drain from the lining membranes of the special internal organs of women, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription reaches the origin of the trouble, and corrects it.

MRS. MARY CRIM, of *Frankfort, Franklin Co., Ill.*, writes: "A few years ago I took cold, which resulted in female trouble, and affected my whole system. About a year ago, I took chills, had one or two a month; they were very weakening. Had pains in my sides, more frequently in left side; gradually grew worse until, finally, I had to take to bed. I had a bad cough and couldn't rest. I commenced taking your medicine, took it about four months, taking seven bottles of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription and five of his "Golden Medical Discovery." My weight has increased, and I feel better and stouter than I have for years."

MRS. CRIM.

How to Be an Art Critic.

To establish a reputation as an art connoisseur a man may spend two or three years visiting the salons of Europe and writing criticisms for publication.

This method is both tedious and expensive.

Bartley, who lives on the South Side, has discovered a better way. Bartley wears big spectacles and he can't tell a Corot from a Turner.

Not long ago he paid a visit to the home of a South Side millionaire who has a collection of pictures on which he prides himself greatly. The millionaire was showing Bartley his treasures and Bartley was nodding his head and peeping for perspective effects through his curved hand. It was in the corner of the library where the paintings were especially choice, and the millionaire was descanting enthusiastically on their merits. At last he paused before a black old picture, cracked and seamed with age.

"And this is my Murillo. I rate it very highly in my collection."

Just at this moment Bartley thought it would be necessary to say something to accompany his nodding and peeping. And not having any ideas on the subject he regarded the Murillo critically and said "Indeed!" in as appreciative a voice as he could command.

The millionaire glanced at him quickly, then flushed red. Bartley kept on gazing and said "Indeed!" a second time.

"I should say, Mr. Bartley," continued the millionaire hurriedly, "that this Murillo is only a copy. I bought it in Paris. Very fine thing, don't you think, for a copy? Most people are deceived by it."

Bartley's big, wise spectacles glanced around and he said impressively:

"Indeed!"

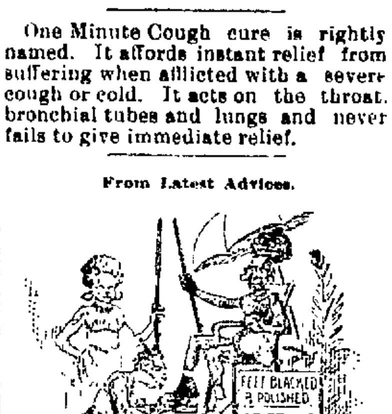
And from that moment his reputation as an art connoisseur was established.—Chicago Record.

An Ohio Father's Baby.

"My wife received a sample bottle of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. For four months she hardly took her clothes off baby cried so. The sample of Dr Hand's Colic Cure worked like magic I went right to the drug store and bought a 25c bottle and a bottle of Dr Hand's Pleasant Physic, and we are truly grateful that such relief has come to baby and to us."—Respectfully Geo. M. Vaught, Delaware Ohio.

One Minute Cough cure is rightly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief.

From Latest Advices.



Faults of civilization are showing in the Cannibal isles.—Truth.

Not a few who read what Mr. Robert Rowls, of Hollands, Va, has to say below, will remember their own experience under like circumstances: 'Last winter I had la grippe which left me in a low state of health. I tried numerous remedies, none of which did me any good until I was induced to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it so far relieved me that I was enabled to attend to my work and the second bottle effected a cure." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by L. H. Flocken, the druggist.

It Seems That We Have a New Smile.

In an age in which so many things are new, it was not to be supposed that we should escape the new smile. Like many other such inventions, it comes across the Atlantic from America, and, like the baby pose of 10 or 12 years ago, it attacks all sorts and conditions of women.

The wide and careless smile, more a grin than a smile, which is the mark of those who let themselves be swayed by an ill considered mirth to the detriment of their personal appearance, has quite gone out of fashion. The new exercise is a slow and dreamy expansion of the lips; it is poetic, and hints at great things, such as a life not understood by the ordinary run of folk, a heart yearning for love and other kindred subjects, and is calculated to lay low at the first fire all but the most bucolic and heartless of men.

And yet the origin of the new smile is by no means so poetic. It is merely an affair of dentistry when its springs are analyzed. In America, as we know from books of travel, women are forever sucking candy, with the result that their teeth suffer, and though the dentists of the States are second to none, there are occasions when they cannot repair the ravages of the sweet stuff shops. Therefore it is not always safe to smile with effusion, for it may be that a tooth is imperfect, though not yet ready for extraction.

The art of the new smile consists in concealing the affected tooth, and only showing those of its companions which will bear momentary inspection. In fact, the new smile, like so many of its contemporaries, is a sham, and the only good thing that can be said in its favor is that it is not worn by the new woman.—London Globe.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits; 75 cents. Sold by H. C. Hoberman & Company, druggists' Marion O

One Minute Cough Cure is a popular remedy for croup. Safe for children and adults.

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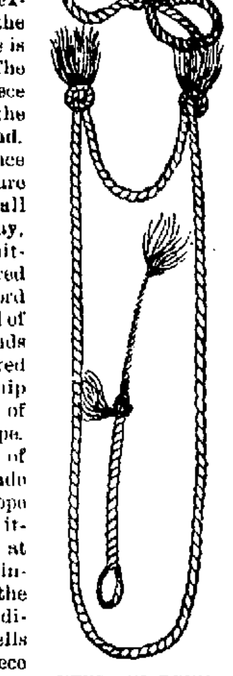
Whip and Reins.

The whip and reins sketched originally for The Household are easily put together. Little explanation of the whip and reins is necessary. The small crosspiece goes over the "horse's" head. In this instance the reins are made of small rope. These may, however, be knitted in colored yarns, or the cord may be formed of numerous strands of gay colored yarn. The whip lash is made of very small rope. The handle of the whip is made of the same rope woven with itself. The ring at the end is a single curve of the rope. The addition of tiny bells to this crosspiece pleases the little people, but the noise therefrom deters some parents from using them.



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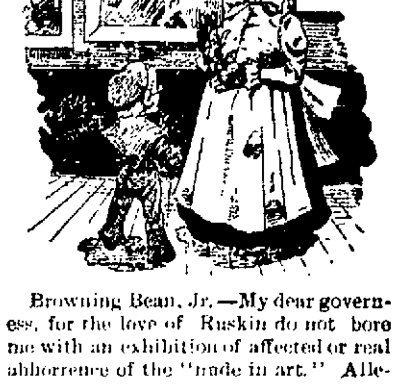
Coughing irritates the delicate organs and aggravates the disease. Instead of waiting, try One Minute Cough Cure. It helps at once, making expectoration easy, reduces the soreness and inflammation. Everyone likes it.

In a Boston Art Gallery.



Browning Bean, Jr.—My dear governess, for the love of Ruskin do not bore me with an exhibition of affected or real abhorrence of the "nude in art." Alleviate the distress of my having to appear in public in your good natured but plebeian society by detaching yourself from your puritanical prudery. Now we will proceed to the obsolete masters.—Life.

Relief in Six Hours.

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Critical.

It was a new map of South America done in colors that caught the passing glance of the artistic girl.

"That's a good thing," said the young man who is interested in current events.

"Yes," she replied, "that one is very nice. But I do think some of these posters they are getting out are perfectly horrid."—Washington Star.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL ON PAGE 2

Marion is now figured in the list of counties that have the oil fever, but hasn't got more than a smell up to date.

Many people looked at their thermometers this morning with the firm conviction that they would need repairs.

An exchange calls attention to the "sad end of a genius." But why refer to a man's misfortunes in cold type? Even a genius cannot be expected to remain sitting always.

After seeing the newspaper portraits of the president of the Republic of Transvaal, John Bull's invasion of that country is explained. President S. E. Kruger is evidently a feeble old man.

Hon. A. J. Hazlett, who will represent Crawford county in the legislature, is going to introduce a bill to protect candidates from vicious attacks at the close of the campaign. Mr Hazlett evidently expects to run again.

If the United States and England are both desirous of avoiding a conflict there appears no easier way than to refer the whole matter to a committee composed of Messrs. Jim Corbett and Bob Fitzsimmons.

Utah will have some new features under her constitution. Her juries will consist of eight men instead of twelve, three-fourths of which, in civil cases, may render a verdict. The state shall never go into debt to exceed $200,000, except in case of insurrection. Every citizen is guaranteed the right to obtain employment wherever possible and makes any interference with this right a crime. The women are given equal suffrage with men.

Mince Meat.

Here is Miss Parloa's recipe for mince meat.

Two pounds tender, lean beef. Chop it, while raw, very fine. Take a cupful of chopped suet, 2 pint bowlfuls of chopped apple, 1 of stoned raisins, half a bowlful of currants, half a pound of citron, a bowlful of sugar, half a bowlful of molasses, 2 tablespoonfuls of mace, 2 of cinnamon, 1 of allspice, 1 of cloves, 1 grated nutmegs, 3 tablespoonfuls salt. Mix all these thoroughly with the hands and then add a quart of cider. Put the mixture in a large earthen pot and place over a kettle of boiling water and scald. If there are not sugar and spice enough, season to taste. When scalded, stir in more cider. Don't let any one kind of spice predominate. If not moist enough, use more cider.

Perforated Sails.

Yachtsmen will be interested in the discovery of an Italian sea captain, George Batta Vasano of Genoa, that additional speed can be secured by making a number of small holes in the sails.

The contention is that the force of wind cannot fully take effect on a sail since the air in front of it cannot properly circulate in the inflated part, but it is stagnant and is in effect a cushion, which acts like a spring mattress, decreasing the actual pressure of the wind against the canvas.

Trials made by the captain in various weathers have seemingly proved the utility of this innovation.—New York World.

Back to His Engine From State Office.

T. J. He[illegible], who [illegible] years ago was nominated and elected state [illegible] commissioner, has returned to his old occupation—that of a locomotive engineer. At the time of his nomination he was an engineer [illegible] between St. Louis and [illegible] Bluff. He gave up his job to make the canvass and was elected. He served [illegible] last year, and in January [illegible] started a little business [illegible] a success. He applied [illegible] to obtain [illegible] first [illegible] night.—Chicago Tribune.

Their Different Mottoes.

Secretary Morton's motto [illegible] "Plant trees." Vice President Stevenson's is "Carry an ax."—Washington Star.

WANTS A RECEIVER.

JESSE B. F. TAYLOR WANTS THE FIRM OF RAYL & TAYLOR DISSOLVED.

C. Neimeyer Appointed Receiver of the Firm's Property—Louisa H. Cummins Secures an Injunction Against the Collection of Street Assessments.

Louisa H. Cummins, by her attorney, J. A. Wolford, filed a petition in the court of common pleas this morning against the City of Marion, [illegible] auditor and [illegible] treasurer.

The case is similar to the [illegible] and Fisher cases and in her petition the plaintiff complains that [illegible] of lot [illegible] and [illegible] she owns was appraised at the last decennial appraisement at $[illegible] that she had been assessed for street improvement the sum of $[illegible] payable in fifteen annual installments with interest at 6 per cent, a total of $1147.76.

The plaintiff says that all of the assessment in excess of $[illegible] is unauthorized and sets up the fact that she made a legal tender January [illegible] of $[illegible] as her street assessment on her [illegible] street property and again in this petition she makes a tender of that amount and asks for a temporary injunction against the collection of any amount in excess of the one-fifteenth part of $[illegible] and that on final hearing that the assessment in excess of $[illegible] may be declared illegal and void, that the temporary restraining order may be made permanent and for costs of suit.

The court granted a temporary injunction conditioned on the giving of a bond by plaintiff acceptable to the clerk of courts for $[illegible], which was done.

Jesse B. F. Taylor, by his attorneys Ball & Ball, and [illegible] D. Copeland today filed in the court of common pleas a petition against James [illegible] Rayl and Mary C. Rayl.

The petition sets up a partnership formed by and between the plaintiff and defendants James [illegible] Rayl and Mary C. Rayl March [illegible], 1895, under the firm name of Rayl & Taylor, Taylor constituting one half and the defendants one half and that the partnership was made for no definite period.

The plaintiff says that he desires to dissolve and close up the partnership but cannot agree upon times with the defendants and that the partnership owns a large stock of groceries and many good book accounts and the good will of the people.

Under these circumstances the plaintiff asks that a receiver be appointed to take charge of the stock and good will and to dispose of it, and that from the proceeds each partner may receive a proper share.

Judge Norris appointed C. Neimeyer of Prospect, receiver.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Marion Malleable Iron Company will be held at the office of the Marion Steam Shovel company, Bennett building, Marion, Ohio, Monday morning, January 6, 1896, at 8 o'clock, for the election of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

F. H. [illegible], Pres.

JOHN A. H[illegible], Secy.

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Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Prendergast Lumber and Coal company will be held at the office of the company on Oak street, Marion, Ohio, Monday evening at 7 o'clock, p. m. January 13, 1896, for the election of seven directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. wed sat 13

J. F. Prendergast, president.

[illegible] W[illegible], secretary.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Huber Manufacturing company will be held at their office in the Bennett building, Marion, Ohio, Monday evening, January [illegible], 1896, at 7 o'clock, for the election of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

E. H[illegible], Prest.

m th s t8 F. Dunlap, Sec'y.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Marion Steam Shovel company will be held in their office, Bennett building, at [illegible] o'clock p. m. Monday, January [illegible], 1896, for the election of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

E. H[illegible], President.

wsat4 A. E. Cu[illegible], Secretary.

He Was Careful.

[illegible]

Merit

Is what gives Hood's Sarsaparilla its great popularity, its constantly increasing sales [illegible] make Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Peculiar to Itself

[illegible]

Hood's Sarsaparilla

[illegible]

Hood's Pills [illegible]

TOWN TOPICS.

The [illegible] city ordinance [illegible] ordinance was [illegible] His Honor informed him that the ordinance had been properly [illegible] in the papers. [illegible] read the papers [illegible] the cause of education.

Sheriff Rice was called to [illegible] by telephone yesterday as it was explained to him on business of importance. [illegible] important business turned out to be something about serving subpoenas for witnesses in a justice's court. This didn't make him happy, but he became a burden when a trainman insisted upon paying his street car fare at the station last night, and made Mr. Rice explain that he wasn't the conductor.

Last Sunday several journeymen were viewing the new Darmody and Evans blocks and one of them commented on the fact that while the blocks were started about the same time that the Darmody block was under roof while the Evans block was only half up. "That shows the difference," said he, "between city workmen and hobos. [illegible] they only work one man on the Evans [illegible]" and then he almost fainted away when he realized that he was talking to Mr. [illegible], the contractor on the Evans block.

Last Monday evening a young man—we'll call him Mr. B—was approached by a friend—we'll call him Mr. B—with the question, "Who's your partner for the party?" Now Mr. B knew that Mr. B's partner was a Miss A, so he said, "I guess I won't go. Miss A asked me but I did not want to go with her. I wonder who she will go with to her." She asked Mr. C, but he excused himself. "Poor girl, I wonder who she'll get." "Great girl," said B. "She asked me and I [illegible] and I [illegible] sending my regrets and ask her to excuse me," and off he [illegible] madder than a wet hen. And now Mr. B [illegible] put upon him at his daily [illegible] on the song, "You Can't Play in My Yard."

A local insurance agent paid a local attorney a friendly visit the other morning while the latter was [illegible]. The insurance man had hardly taken a chair when the attorney commenced to tell him what a great scheme he had to scare off [illegible] agents, [illegible] that he was going to secure a lot of [illegible] and every [illegible] would start in [illegible] insurance. The insurance man, who had [illegible] lately [illegible] the attorney had been giving him a hint [illegible] insurance and [illegible] that [illegible] he told [illegible]. This was a poser as the attorney was totally unaware that [illegible] was taking applications and the [illegible] that fell around [illegible] for a few moments could be cut with an ax.

The boys are [illegible] two members of the [illegible]. [illegible] and the other an expert [illegible] the former [illegible] a college in the north, the latter [illegible] points of his favorite exercise at a college the name of which has been made ever memorable by [illegible] of dress reform. One evening the past week [illegible] were [illegible] along the street when they saw [illegible] the parent [illegible] that they [illegible] and [illegible] that he was somewhat hurt [illegible] assisted him home. In response to their rap at the door the daughter came to the door and looked out upon the trio. The old gentleman thanked them for their efforts in his behalf but the daughter said not a word. The boys walked back to the club rooms and commented on the fact that the daughter had not thanked them. "Why," said one, "common politeness would dictate that she should have thanked us," and soon [illegible] the name [illegible] of the old gentleman, "Mr. P." and a Wag, when it was found that such was the name, "I wonder the daughter didn't thank you, it was Miss R[illegible] deaf and dumb." The boys are dreaming about those good cigars on the collegians yet.

A young man from this city went over to an adjoining town last Sunday to call upon his best girl and take her to church. The young lady in question is all that could be desired and has a form that would [illegible] a sculptor's heart [illegible]. Tall and well rounded with perfect throat [illegible] and a face of surpassing beauty she is a best girl of which the young Marionite is justly proud. It is important to the story to tell that she is a devout member of the [illegible] church. Shortly after the young man's arrival he and his best girl started for church. On the way he heard something drop and looking down noticed at a black silk garter with sterling silver clasp. The young lady's attention was attracted by some friends across the street and she did not notice the [illegible]. While looking up the jeweled band the young man noticed that it was very small, abnormally small, and totally out of proportion with the extremities of the young woman. A cloud gathered on the young man's forehead. While his girl wasn't looking he sneaked the garter [illegible] and glanced at it speedily [illegible] the fingers. Then glancing at the [illegible] throat and rounded cheeks of [illegible] he muttered [illegible]. Through the service [illegible] the matter [illegible] "Well [illegible] a freak of nature [illegible] anyway." [illegible] the young man was troubled and wondering [illegible] to get the garter [illegible] [illegible] garter, garter.

"My heavens man, that's the band she carries around her prayer book and hymnal." The young man keeled over—the reaction had been too great.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

Free Baptist.

9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
10:30 a. m. preaching.
7:00 p. m. preaching.
D. B. MARTIN, Pastor.

State Street Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9.
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.
All are cordially invited.
ALEX. BARTLE, Pastor.

Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Sunday school 9:00 a. m.
German preaching, 10:15 a. m.
Luther League 5:30 p. m.
English service, 6:30 p. m.
All are welcome.
A. L. NICKLAS, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school 9:00 a. m.
Preaching, 10:30 a. m.
Junior C. E. [illegible] p. m.
Y. P. S. C. E. 5:45 p. m.
Preaching 7 p. m.
W. F. THOMAS, Pastor.

Reformed Church.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
German services 10 a. m.
Junior C. E. at 2:30 p. m.
Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:00 p. m.
English services at 7 p. m.
All are cordially welcome.
F. C. W[illegible], Pastor.

Epworth M. E. Church.

9:00 a. m. Sunday school.
[illegible] a. m. preaching. Continuation of series of Lord's Prayer.
[illegible] p. m. and [illegible] p. m. class meetings.
[illegible] p. m. Junior League.
7:00 p. m. song and Bible service.
J. L. H[illegible], Pastor.

St Paul's Episcopal Church.

The Epiphany, Jan. 5th.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:30 a. m.—Morning service, Ante-Communion, sermon, celebration of the Holy Eucharist.
7:00 p. m.—Evening service with sermon or address.
Seats free. All welcome.
J. W. ATWATER, Rector.

Christian Science.

[illegible] Sunday [illegible] Text: [illegible] the voice of one crying in the wilderness [illegible] made straight the way of the Lord, as said the prophet Esaias. John 1:23. All are welcome. Bring your bibles.

Christian Church.

9:00 a. m. Sunday school.
10:30 a. m. preaching.
2:30 p. m. officers meeting.
[illegible] p. m. Junior Endeavor.
6:00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.
7:00 p. m. preaching.
Services every evening at 7 o'clock during week of prayer. Following that W. J. Lamont, a distinguished evangelist of Toronto, Canada, will assist the pastor.
All are invited to attend and participate in these meetings.
A. S[illegible], Pastor.

[illegible] and the Priest.

[illegible] Next Sunday, after the service [illegible] "Who stole Pat Doolan's pig?" There was a long pause and no answer. He did not expect there would be any and descended from the pulpit without saying a word more.

A second Sunday arriving without the pig being restored, his reverence [illegible] "Who stole Pat Doolan's pig? I say, who stole Pat Doolan's pig?" Still there was no answer, and the question was left as before to work its effect in secret on the conscience of the guilty individual. The [illegible] of the offender, however, exceeded all the honest priest's calculations.

A third Sunday arrived, and Pat Doolan was still without his pig. So the [illegible] measures now became necessary. After service was performed his reverence, dropping the question of "Who stole Pat Doolan's pig?" but still [illegible] the subject of the theft, [illegible] exclaimed: "Jimmie Doran! Jimmie Doran! Ye [illegible]" Jimmie Doran [illegible] his head, and next morning [illegible] was found at the door of Pat Doolan.—[illegible] Words.

Briefly Told.

[illegible]

—Chicago Post.

THE NEW YORK STORE.

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HAVE HAD A BIG YEAR'S SHOE BUSINESS IN OUR LITTLE BACK ROOM.

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Of course we have not sold "nine-tenths" of the shoes sold in Marion, but with the help of the people we are selling about half. Have added many things to our stock—among them being a full line of Drew, Selby & Co.'s make of ladies' French kid shoes, which are "swell" and "up-to-date." Their spring samples are here—see them. THIS SACRIFICE SALE IS "STRAIGHT GOODS, A YARD WIDE" AND JUST AS WE ADVERTISE. Plenty of other deals as good as we advertise—space is too expensive—come and see.

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65 Pairs—[illegible] medium weight [illegible] former price [illegible] at $1.40. 1.75 / 1.40 / 35 Saved

[illegible] now $1.40. 1.75 / 1.40 / 35 Saved

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[illegible] Pairs heavy congress tap [illegible] former price $1.35. now 99c. 1.35 / 99 / 35 Saved

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[illegible] Pairs women's [illegible] former price [illegible] now 89c. 1.15 / 89 / 26 Saved

[illegible] Pairs Women's [illegible] kid lace shoes with [illegible] and trimmings [illegible] sizes from 2 to 7, former price [illegible] now 1.09.

[illegible] Pairs women's heavy calf shoes, no tip, button, sizes [illegible] to [illegible], former price $1.[illegible] now 89c.

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[illegible]

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All sizes good solid shoes at way below the marked prices. Haven't time to list them.

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The meeting of the circle of the Ladies of the Grand Army will be held the second Monday in January.

By order of President.

Drake's livery, hack and baggage line, No. 128 S. State street. Prompt attention to calls for hacks for trains, parties or funerals. Phone No. 166. 31t6

George Lusch has opened a pretzel bakery at the rear of Sam Kraner's, where fresh pretzels can be had at all times. He invites all to call. 31eod12

The Exchange to be held by the ladies of the Free Baptist church has been postponed on account of the week of prayer. The Exchange will open the third Saturday in January.

Just a little the nicest Lehigh Chestnut coal you ever saw, and also some of the celebrated Massillon coal that I have so long exclusively sold; not the low grade Massillon sold by other dealers. Then the Sedalia and West Virginia Splint coal for lasting qualities not exceeded by any, at

35t2 S. E. DeWolfe's.

Seven Below Zero.

Friday night was a cold one. There is no doubt of that. The plumbers were happy today. Water pipes all over the city were frozen and bursted.

During the night the thermometer of Dr. E. H. Raffensperger showed a record of 7 degrees below zero, and early this morning it had moderated until six degrees below were registered. Last winter it fell at one time to twelve degrees below zero.

Had Better Practice.

The Crestline correspondent of the Bucyrus Telegraph says:

At Marion yesterday Crestline's polo team won a game and lost one. The first game was 7 to 5 in favor of Marion and the second 17 to 3 in favor of Crestline. The boys says if Packard could have played both games they would have got them both, and say Marion is dead easy and had better practice instead of sending out challenges.

The Modern mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup company only.

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New Messina oranges, 12¢ doz.
Fresh Catawba grapes, 10¢ basket.
Best oysters, 25¢ quart.
Good crackers, 5¢ pound.
Best 5¢ corn in Marion.
Good rice, 5¢ pound.
New beans, 3 pounds for 10¢.
Best pickled pork, 6¢ pound.
35-t2 J. W. Thew.

A BOILER EXPLODES

AND A LOCOMOTIVE IS BLOWN TO FRAGMENTS.

Terrible Accident on the C., S. and H. South of Columbus This Morning—Engineer, Fireman and Brakeman Killed. The Latter Known Here.

There was a horrible accident on the C. S. and H. this morning at a station south of Columbus, known as Mt. Perry. Engine 25 in charge of Mead was pulling through the station, when the engine boiler burst and three men were killed and it is very likely that the conductor will die from his injuries.

Engineer Mead and his fireman and brakeman were all killed. The engineer was thrown fully one hundred yards by the force of the explosion and immediately killed. Mead's death is a sad one. He was a single man and was to have been married next week. His fireman and the brakeman were buried beneath the debris, and at a late hour this morning had not been found.

-The conductor was fatally injured, and advices from the scene say that he cannot live the day out.

The brakeman was I. L. Norris, who run on this end of the road last September, and stopped at the Hotel Nordica He became pretty well known during the time that he run into this place, and made many friends in Marion, who regret to learn of the accident which cost him his life.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

Wm. Watterman secured a license to marry Harriett Van Buskirk, today. A divorce was decreed to the former husband of the bride-to-be December 27.

The missionary tea of the Free Baptist ladies was held at the residence of Mrs. G. Hughey, on Short street, on Thursday afternoon. It was a very enjoyable affair.

J. C. Wynant was over at Agosta Friday night. He installed the recently elected officers of the Junior Order of American Mechanics in that village. He is the vice councilor.

The recently elected officers of Kosciusko Lodge, I. O. O. F., will be installed Monday evening, and on Tuesday evening the officers of Mizpah Encampment, I. O. O. F., will be installed.

The harness and buggy which were attached by Constable Huggins in the hands of a man named DeLong, to satisfy a judgment on a note, were sold Friday by the constable. The buggy brought twenty-five dollars and the harness two dollars and fifty cents.

The Junior Order of American Mechanics are desirous of erecting a hall of their own. They are now looking for a location. Their plan is to secure some building and build a third story. The lodge now has a site in view, but as yet no official action has been taken, and then the site is not altogether satisfactory. The site is where the Hudson House now stands. It is expected that a new building will be erected there in the spring, and they have talked some of trying to secure this, but as yet have taken no definite steps, as it is thought that a more suitable place might be secured.

RISE UP, JOHN HENRY.

And Say What You Have Got To Say To These Charges.

Noah Myrtle Markey today filed in the court of common pleas a petition for a divorce from her husband, John Henry Markey. They were married in this city and since their marriage, as STAR readers will remember, their life has not been a happy one. The husband is now in Terre Haute, Ind., and the wife has been residing in Dayton, but claims Marion her home. She arrived here today and through her attorney, John J. McNally, had the petition filed.

She charges John Henry with being wilfully naughty, guilty of cruelty and failure to provide. She prays for relief from her marriage contract by divorce.

SICK AND CONVALESCENT.

Mrs. James Habeson is convalescent.

A child of Mr. and Mrs. John Maag is suffering from diphtheria.

Mrs. Angie Buckingham is reported somewhat improved from her recent illness,

A child of Frank Disbennett, on Toledo avenue, is suffering from an attack of diphtheria.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Automatic Boiler Feeder company will be held at the Steam Shovel office in the Bennett building, Marion, Ohio, Monday morning, January 6, 1896, at 10 o'clock, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. fas

E. HUBER, Pres.
T. P. ALLEN, Acting Sec'y.

Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The National Wagon company will be held at the company's office on north Main street, on Monday, January 6, 1896, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

J. L. ELLIOTT, Pres.
F. S. KEILER, Secy. 32-et3

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MRS. JACQUITH DEAD.

A Nurse Well Known To Many Marion Homes Passes Away.

Word has been received by a lady of Marion that Mrs Catherine Jacquith, of Columbus, is dead.

Mrs. Jacquith will be remembered as the professional nurse who has ministered to many ladies in our city through times of critical illness, and by her skill saved many frail lives. Most gratefully do these ladies remember her, and will sincerely regret her demise.

She went east last June to the scenes of her girlhood home. What seemed at first like a slight ailment, soon developed into a cancer of the stomach She went into a hospital in an eastern city for more constant medical care than she could receive at the home of friends, but the dread disease finished its fatal work in November.

She leaves but one child, a son, nineteen years of age, a resident of Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Jacquith was a member of Dr. Gladden's church, the Broad street Congregational. Her tender services in the sick room will be long remembered and sorely missed.

THIS, THAT AND THE OTHER.

Ben Beiber, the efficient cashier of the Erie here, never tires of relating his experience as a railroad man, and there is but little about a railroad that Mr. Beiber is not thoroughly conversant with. At one time he was agent at Prospect, and one day a way freight pulled into the station and a fine-looking, well-dressed young man got off and unloaded a trunk from the caboose. He walked into the office and informed Mr. Beiber that he came there to learn telegraphy and asked if he wanted a student. Mr. Beiber did not want one, but was struck with the young fellow's cool audacity and took him. He had never seen him before. The young fellow was Ray Gilmore, now agent at Prospect, and one of the most prominent citizens of the village. Mr. Beiber and Mr. Gilmore are still very warm friends and often talk of their first meeting.

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The other night a fellow who is known as a convivial soul, but who generally sizes up the crowd before he asks them to become social with him, dropped into a place where beverages were sold, and after a mental calculation thought a quarter would go round. He called the crowd up and wishing them a happy New Year, asked them to take something. They winked, and all took a fifteen-cent drink. The convivial soul was horror stricken, but pulled himself together and settled. He has not been social since then.

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Candidates for next election are already pulling the wires. There are now two candidates announced for the probate judgeship, and there will possibly be several more. Johnny, get your gun.

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'Squire McKinley grew reminiscent the other day while he was waiting for Prof. Powell. The 'Squire was Mr. Powell's footman and had on a high silk hat which was quite becoming. He related a story of the time that he and two companions went on a trip through West Virginia, wearing silk hats and Prince Albert coats. They went down into the wild parts of the state, and the natives thought they were Vanderbilts and Jay Goulds and such clothes they had never seen. The funny part of it, the 'Squire states, was the fact that they were all nearly stranded, and had just sufficient money to get back home on, and they had round trip tickets at that.

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Down at Flocken's drug store the other night the boys were sitting about the stove smoking and telling stories when a couple of musicians dropped in with violin and guitar. The telephone was rung up and connected with Rev. Hillman's residence. He was favored with a number of sacred selections, Then W. F. Scofield was called and while he listened to the phone the band played The Campbells are Coming, The Wild Irishman and a number of other soul-stirring selections, and thus about half the citizens of Marion who have telephones were treated to an impromptu concert. How delighted the citizens were cannot be told, but none rang off the phones while the boys were playing.

Choir Rehearsal.

Choir rehearsal at St. Paul's church tonight at 6:30 sharp.

J. W. ARMSTRONG, Rector.

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A Hustling
Pushing Business!

Such as ours arouses the small dealers to remarks that are false. The little fellows in their dungeons with small business, would not have the room nor the facilities for handling or an outlet for a jobbing house's odds and ends. We were invited to look at that stock of odds and ends and we bought it. Can back these statements up with the goods. No trouble to prove it. The goods do it. Many samples have the firm's name stamped on them. They are here for your inspection at much less than the cost to manufacture. The deal went into the thousands of dollars, but Marion people are quick to respond to bargains (almost gifts) and the goods will go quickly.

Dress Goods Did Not
Get Their Share of Attention
IN OUR PAGE AD.

We are Determined

To make this the greatest and most distinguished Clearance Sale ever seen in Marion.

40 Cent All-wool Henriettas, all colors, 36 inches wide	17 cts
50 Cent All-wool Brocaded Armure, 36 inches	20 cts
50 Cent Silk and Wool Mixtures, 38 inches	20 cts
$1.00 All-wool Plaids, 50 inches wide	25 cts
$1.00 All-wool Paris Armure, black and brown, 54 inches	48 cts
$1.25 and $1.00 Covert Cloth, 50 inches	48 cts
60 Cent Fancy and Plain All-wool Gilbert Cloth	25 cts
75 Cent All-wool 45 inch Henrietta, all colors	33 cts
$1.00 and 75c Priestley Figured black goods	50 cts
65 Cent Figured Mohair, black, 40 inches	25 cts
$1.00 Mohair Crepon, black, 40 inches	50 cts
$1 10 Black Faille, all silk, 24 inches wide	75 cts

All Pattern Suits at just exactly one-half price—$10.00 suits $5.00, $12.00 suits $6.00 and so on.

The conditions of this sale are cash. No goods laid away, none can be exchanged or sent on approval.

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We have an office at
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A NEW COAL OFFICE AND FEED DEPOT
At 116 West Church Street, rear of People's Store, where you can get the best quality of
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A FAST LIFE.

Its pleasures and its Perils.

Some Men and Women Who Live at Lightning Speed and Will Only Take a Vacation in the Grave--The Pace That Kills.

Times have certainly changed and, in some respects not for the better. The tide of life and competition is stronger than it was fifty years ago and like a swimmer with a strong tide against him, one must expend double the energy to win to the shores of success.

It makes no difference what goal we aim at, the conditions are the same.

We live too fast, work too hard, drink too much, sleep too little, keep our nerves on the strain and jump all the time.

There are two classes of fast livers.

Those who work too hard and too long.

Those who do not work at all.

Both classes are reaching the same end, though, perhaps, by somewhat different routes.

They are "burning the candle at both ends," and even a child can predict the result.

There Will Be No Candle Shortly.

Increased speed in ANY machine, human or otherwise, means increased wear and tear and waste.

Increased waste of the tissues of the body means increased work for the kidneys, whose place it is to remove poisons and impurities. Increased kidney work means increased strain upon those organs, and increased strain without rest or relief means disease.

This is why so many fast livers, hard workers, hard drinkers and hard smokers die of Bright's disease.

Many men not satisfied with the harm their overwork or fast life is doing them must needs add to it voluntarily by putting more poisons into the system that still further add to the work of the kidneys and irritate and inflame these organs.

We refer to alcohol, tobacco and opiates. Surely there are enough poisons and impurities in our blood already without adding more.

And yet we do it with the mistaken idea that we stimulate our brains, increase our appetites, or soothe our nerves.

Take the Strain Off Your Kidneys!

They are toiling day and night in your behalf as it is.

Don't add to their burdens unless you are anxious to issue invitations for a funeral.

Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills are precisely what you need and what your kidneys would ask for if they had a voice in the matter.

No use advising you to live slower, to work less, to go to bed early, and moderate the gate at which you are going. You simply won't do it. You think you will, but you won't.

Then use Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills, and take this terrible strain off your kidneys and filter and purify your blood.

Fifty cents per box, from all druggists, or enclose 50 cts in stamps or silver direct to the HOBB'S MEDICINE CO., Chicago; San Francisco. Interesting and instructive book on Kidney, Health, and Blood Filtering, free.

Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills

He Found a Hero.

He was coming down town on a Woodward avenue car with a basket of eggs to trade for nails and sugar, and, after watching things for awhile from the rear platform, he said to the conductor:

"You must have lots of things on your mind?"

"Yes."

"You have to stop and start, help people on and off, collect fares and do a heap of work. It must be an awful strain on you?"

"Yes."

"Then there's that thingumbob up there," pointing to the trolley. "You have to keep an eye on that, don't you?"

"Yes."

"And look at every pole to see that the 'lectricity is all right?"

"Yes."

"If that thingumbob should slip off and slew around and hit the car the hull crowd of us would be knocked into a cocked hat, I take it?"

"Yes; we would."

"None of us would ever know what hit us, and we'd be so mixed up that our friends couldn't tell one from the other?"

"Yes; that's so."

"And here you stand," resumed the man with the eggs—"here you stand as cool and calm and smilin as a [illegible] on a log, while the horny hands of death may be stretched out any minute to yank us in! I don't see how you do it! You are a brave man, and I want to shake hands with you!"

The conductor shook with him, and he waved his arm through the air and continued:

"I don't see how you do it—can't really see! Why, all the strain I have on my mind is to keep the hogs from gettin out of a hole in the pasture, and yet I can't sleep nights. Here, let me go inside to sit down and figure how much seven dozen eggs will come to at 18 cents a dozen, lemme smoke that nubble and [illegible]."—Detroit Free Press.

Half Over.

George (nervously)—I'd like the best in the world, Kittie, to marry you. I'm [illegible].

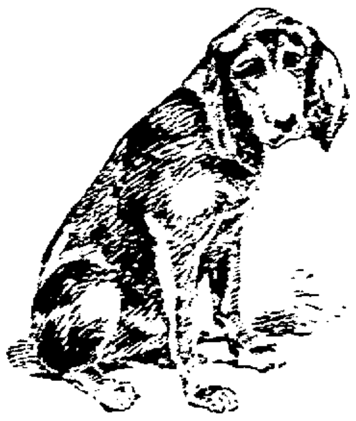
Kittie (promptly and practically)—That's all right, George. You're half ... ed with me. [illegible]—London Fun.

SURE ENOUGH SLEUTHS.

Bloodhounds Used to Chase Criminals by California Sheriffs.

The sheriffs of [illegible] ... [illegible] ... desperate murderers ... in these big counties ... as large as eastern states ... [illegible]

M[illegible] ... [illegible]



... If Mr. [illegible] ... [illegible] ... the state ... failed to ... after. [illegible] ... to get away.

One of the most famous man hunting dogs in California is owned by Sheriff Dave Douglas of Nevada City. He is of English stock, with a pedigree as long as the Duke of Marlborough's, and as a delicate compliment to [illegible] the sheriff has named him Jim Budd. In color Jim is a black and tan, and he has a mouth and dental development that alone are worth a whole arsenal of rifles at a jail. Sheriff Scott of Fresno has six bloodhounds, and the crop of burglars and tramps in that locality has been surprisingly small since the four legged deputy sheriffs have been in active service.

In other states, especially in the south and west, bloodhounds have been used for many years for following blind trails and driving to bay desperadoes that may have eluded the vigilance of skilled detectives. Nearly all Missouri peace officers have these four footed assistants, and in Montana and Dakota they have come to be well recognized as a part of the law's strong arm.

THE MILLENNIUM APPROACHES.

Only Eighteen Years Distant, According to an Ozark Prophet.

Not many miles from Ponce de Leon, in one of the most mountainous parts of the Missouri Ozarks, lives a quaint character known to the country round as Parson Meese. He poses as both prophet and priest, and while in creed he professes to be what is called a millennialist—that small sect which is now looking for the second coming of the Messiah—yet Parson Meese claims that he never received his doctrine from any man, nor learned it from any book. He is directly inspired, he says, and his knowledge of the future came to him in a vision at night, revealing the meaning of Bible prophecies, when a lad, many years ago.

"Christ is now here," he says. "He came in the year 1870, but he will not disclose his presence except to a little band of followers, until the year 1914, and then will burst the kingdom of heaven on earth and the reign of glory and peace and happiness long promised by prophets and seers. Then Christ will be seen and recognized by all, and the devil's sentence of 1,000 years in chains will commence. But," and Parson Meese solemnly shakes his head as he utters it, "what an awful time the world will witness between now and then! Nations will be torn asunder in revolutions and wars, and the fearful battle of Armageddon will be waged around the globe. Terror will prevail for awhile, till the Messiah shall sit upon his throne and proclaim peace to the world."

Swindling the Bank.

It is said to be the custom at Monte Carlo to fill the pockets of suicides with bank notes so that it may be assumed they did not kill themselves on account of losses. The story goes that an Irishman, knowing this custom, succeeded in getting his pockets filled a short time ago.

After losing a small sum at the gaming table he suddenly jumped up, exclaiming, "I am ruined!" and rushed into the garden. Almost immediately afterward the guards heard a pistol shot, and then a cry of pain, and rushing to the spot found the Irishman apparently dead.

It was dark, [illegible] filled his pockets with notes and left [illegible].

They [illegible] out of sight [illegible] the Irishman was on his feet again, and the next train conveyed him to Paris en route for his native country.

A Thieves' Tool.

Thieves are using a contrivance looking like an ordinary walking stick [illegible] ... [illegible]

A Bible With Colored Angels.

A new edition of the Bible has been printed with [illegible] ... [illegible]

Dangerous Gems.

[illegible]

A Curious Epitaph.

[illegible]

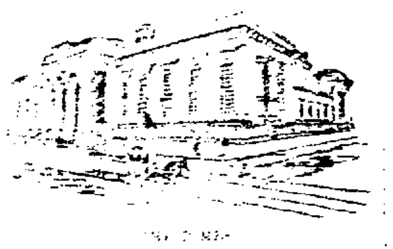
THE HISTORIC TOMBS.

Tragic Memories Surround the Famous New York Prison.

DEAD HOPES AND RUINED LIVES.

Interesting Romances Connected With the Tombs. The First Execution. The Cupola Fire and the Mysterious Death of John C. Colt. "The Bridge of Sighs."

What the Place de la [illegible] ... Newgate prison was to ... [illegible] ... of New York ... [illegible]



THE TOMBS.

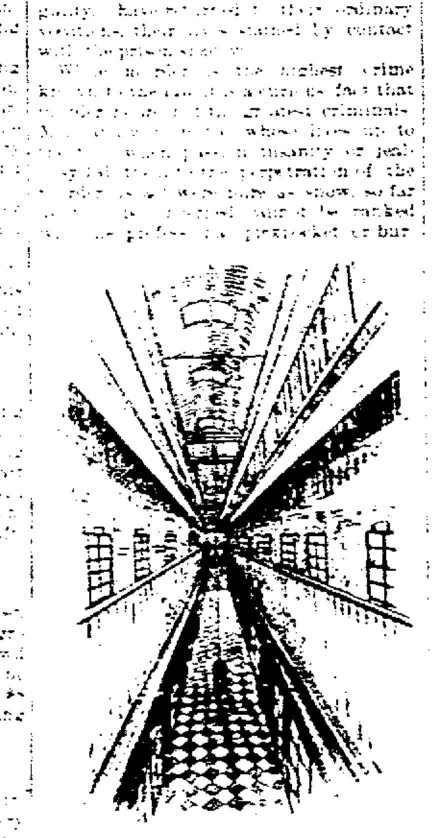
... [illegible] ... It has been the tomb of dead hopes and ruined lives, and we ... [illegible]

The Tombs ... [illegible] ... Leonard and Franklin streets. ... [illegible] ... the city council ... a new jail ... [illegible] ... in Egypt and ... the upper Nile. The site of the Tombs had at one time been a stagnant pond, but in 18[illegible] the city council decided to drain the place and erect thereon the city prison.

After much dredging and pile driving the gloomy structure, which is composed principally of Maine granite, was ready for occupancy in 1838. There are 150 cells in the main prison, arranged in four tiers, and the place is always so crowded that it is not unusual to find three or four prisoners in one cell. [illegible] ... under the [illegible] summer sun, yet ... its walls at all times may be seen great swarms of [illegible] over the interior courts, ... the prisoners looking out through the bars of the world from which they are excluded.

The main entrance is on Center street, and to the right of this entrance is the famous Tombs police court, with the court of special sessions on the left. The latter is connected with the prison in the rear by a structure known as the "Bridge of Sighs," so called from the fact that condemned prisoners were led across it after conviction. Two years ago, however, when the new criminal court building was erected on Center street, between Franklin and White, a new "bridge of sighs" was built to connect it with the Tombs prison. [illegible]

During the 57 years of the Tombs' existence tens of thousands of men and women have been confined within its walls. Some have died on its scaffold and hundreds with broken hearts and ruined lives have gone down to death within its cells. [illegible]



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... a Philadelphia negro ... [illegible]

The ... execution in the Tombs was that of [illegible], who was convicted of ... murder ... The most noted death in the Tombs, however, was that of John C. Colt, a brother of the [illegible] ... Alexander T. Stewart. The Colt case is one of the most famous in the history of American crime.

John C. Colt, who in addition to being an expert at [illegible], was at this time writing a treatise on bookkeeping which Samuel Adams was printing. There was a dispute about money due the author [illegible] ... Adams called to get the money which had been promised some time before. At the time of the ... a Mr. Wheeler ... [illegible] ... He saw the figure of a man bending over ... apparently to drag it ...

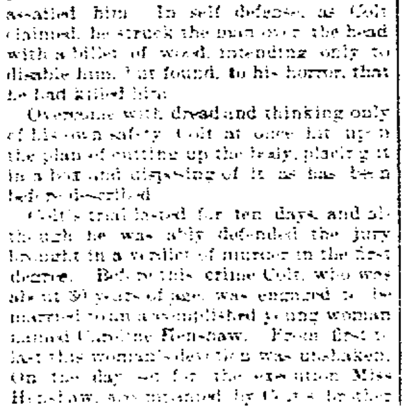
Wheeler returned to his pupil and in explanation ... [illegible] "What's the mystery?"

The man whom Wheeler supposed to be drunk was Samuel Adams, and at that time Samuel Adams was as dead as a [illegible]. Had Colt gone to the police and delivered himself up, saying that he had killed Adams in self defense, such was his character at the time that he would have been released, but like the brilliant and scholarly Eugene Aram, whose crime he imitated, he tried to hide from mortal ken the victim of his anger.

At that time much of our trade with southern ports was done by means of fast sailing schooners. On one of these schooners, bound for New Orleans, there was a box consigned to parties in New Orleans who had no existence. The schooner was delayed by storms for more than a week, and the weather at the time being very warm the attention of the officers and crew was attracted to a horrible stench coming up from the hold. An investigation began, and the stench was traced to a box, which on being opened was found to contain the horribly mutilated remains of Samuel Adams.

The captain of the schooner, who appears to have been a shrewd man, disinfected the contents of the box and had it taken on to New Orleans, from which point the superintendent of police of New York was communicated with at once.

After some trouble the carter who took the box to the schooner was discovered, and, without hesitation, he said that the parcel had been given him by John C. Colt, who paid him for taking it to the vessel. In the meantime the disappearance of Samuel Adams, who was a well known, respectable man, had been reported to the police and was being discussed by the papers. Colt was at once arrested and, to the surprise of every one, confessed to the crime. In explanation he said that he owed Adams some money, but not so much as was claimed. He paid him all he could afford on the day of the murder, but Adams, not satisfied, became violent and assailed him. In self defense, as Colt claimed, he struck the man over the head with a billet of wood, intending only to disable him, but found, to his horror, that he had killed him.



"THE BRIDGE OF SIGHS."

Overcome with dread and thinking only of his own safety, Colt at once hit upon the plan of cutting up the body, placing it in a box and disposing of it as has been before described.

Colt's trial lasted for ten days, and although he was ably defended the jury brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree. Before this crime Colt, who was about 30 years of age, was engaged to be married to an accomplished young woman named Caroline Henshaw. From first to last this woman's devotion was unshaken. On the day set for the execution Miss Henshaw, accompanied by Colt's brother and John Howard Payne, famous as the author of "Home, Sweet Home," went to the Tombs and was there married to the condemned man, the Rev. Mr. Anthon performing the ceremony.

Half an hour after the marriage ceremony the bride ... [illegible]. An hour before the time set for the execution an alarm of fire in the prison was raised. The cupola was ablaze. As soon as it was extinguished the sheriff went back to the cell to bring [illegible] to execution.

The sheriff found John C. Colt lying on his cot, his hands [illegible] crossed on the breast and a knife buried in the heart.

Who gave the prisoner the knife is a mystery that has never been settled. [illegible] people still living who believe that ... friends set fire to the prison ... and that during the excitement ... [illegible] ... conveying the impression ...

An [illegible] ... this strange story is ... weeks after the death ... [illegible] ... New York. When ... [illegible] ... truth to the ... [illegible].

ALFRED R. CALHOUN.

A Unique Specialty.

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POSTPONED HIS FUNERAL.

Ray Gay Lived After a Steel Ramrod Had Passed Through His Head.

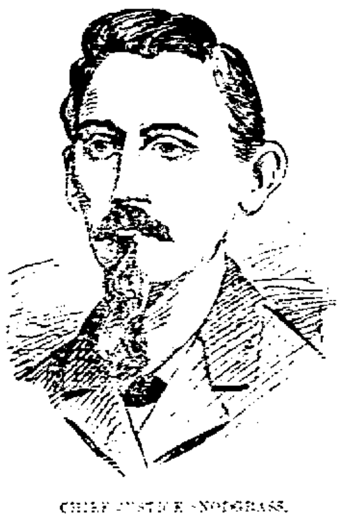
[illegible] ... Ray Gay ... [illegible] ... The boy ... [illegible] ... gift.

A MURDEROUS JUDGE

Why Tennessee's Chief Justice Shot Lawyer Beasley.

The ... of Tennessee ... the chief justice of the state awaiting trial for an assault with intent to murder, and also [illegible] ... for the ... offense of carrying concealed about his person a deadly weapon. This is the result of a recent fracas in Chattanooga, when Chief Justice David L. Snodgrass fired two shots at [illegible] John R. Beasley, one of which inflicted a severe wound on the attorney's person.

The origin of the difficulty that led to this shooting dates back nearly 15 years ago, when there was warm politics in Tennessee over the settlement of the state debt issue. Snodgrass was active in the ranks of the repudiationists in those days, and so was John R. Beasley. Snodgrass acquiesced in the compromise agreed upon in the Democratic convention and the settlement of the debt that was effected on the basis of that compromise, but Beasley remained firm to first principles. He canvassed the state as an independent candidate for governor in opposition to the compromise Democratic candidate, the Hon. William B. Bate, now United States senator, and afterward he filed a bill seeking to render void the new bonds that were issued in settlement of the railroad debt. He contended, as a great many others had done, that they were authorized merely by the "carpetbag" legislature of the reconstruction period and were without the warrant of the constitution.



CHIEF JUSTICE SNODGRASS.

In the meantime Snodgrass had been elected to a seat on the supreme bench. The new supreme court elected in 1886 was made up of men from both sides of the debt issue. Its members were nominated by the Democrats with the view to reuniting the party factions this troublesome issue had so fiercely divided. Beasley thought Judge Snodgrass would sustain his bill, because Snodgrass, before being elevated to the judiciary, had made campaign speeches that supported Beasley's view. He was very much chagrined when the bill was summarily dismissed by the court.

The matter has continued to be a sort of monomania with Beasley. He is in fact regarded as a sort of crank, the old debt question that every one else has forgotten being the wheel that disturbs by its revolutions the equanimity of his thinking apparatus. He published on the morning that the shooting took place an article that accused Judge Snodgrass and Judge [illegible] of having been influenced [illegible] in dismissing his bill in 1886. [illegible] was peculiarly exasperating, but that it should have provoked the chief justice [illegible] has struck the state with amazement, and [illegible] over Tennessee [illegible] demanding that Judge Snodgrass resign.

Judge Snodgrass is about [illegible] years old. He came from White county, in the Cumberland mountain region. He is a brother of Congressman Henry C. Snodgrass. He became chief justice upon the appointment of Chief Justice Lurton to be federal circuit judge two years ago.

Muzzling Readers of Old Books.

Library students in Paris now wear muzzles when perusing the old books in the National library [illegible] ... to prevent the inhalation of the book microbes into their lungs.

Much Libeled Creatures.

Edward Murray, an Englishman ... in this country, says that the snakes of India are [illegible] ... snake bites.

The Second Florida War.

The second Indian war in Florida began [illegible]

Wholesale Theft of Diamonds.

Over $[illegible] worth of diamonds are stolen every year from the South African diamond mines.

NEW SORT OF CRANK.

He Seems to Find Satisfaction in Shaking [illegible]

[illegible]

Many merchants are well aware that their customers are their best friends and take pleasure in supplying them with the best goods obtainable. As an instance we mention Perry & Cameron, prominent druggists of Flushing, Mich. They say: "We have no hesitation in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to our customers, as it is the best cough medicine we have ever sold and always gives satisfaction." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by L. H. Flocken, druggist.

W[illegible] an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. [illegible] Why didn't he take DeWitt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking these little pills.

Epigrammatic.

[illegible] ... "There is no other thing to divert the mind than gambling. It makes people forget their other troubles." He was once asked how it was that if he played a "square" game he did always find people to [illegible]. "My boy," he replied, "there's a sucker born every minute, and," he added reflectively, "sometimes twins."—Argonaut.

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Allen's Discovery for Piles will cure blind, bleeding and itching piles when all other treatments have failed. It stops the itching at once, eases the soreness, acts as a poultice and absorbs the tumors. It is a new discovery that cures piles. Prepared only for piles and itching and chafing, and nothing else. Ask today for Allen's Discovery. Sent by mail, 50c. Address Allen's Discovery, Box 58 LeRoy, N. Y.

Piles of people have piles, but DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. When promptly applied it cures scalds and burns without the slightest pain.

[illegible]

"[illegible]" ... "[illegible] What is the matter, Hiram?" ... "Have you been [illegible]?"

"Nah! The millennium is at hand!"

"For goodness' sake! What do you mean?"

"I have just been reading that it is being proposed to make a law compelling chimneys to consume their own smoke."—Truth.

For a pain in the chest a piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on over the seat of the pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, will afford prompt relief. This is especially valuable in cases where the pain is caused by a cold and there is a tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by L. H. Flocken, druggist.

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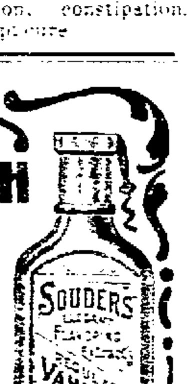

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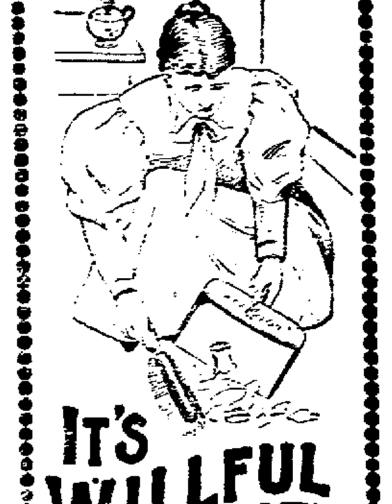

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It's willful waste to buy common lamp chimneys, now that you can get the Ivory Top—the kind that don't break. You could buy a thousand and not find one defective. They cost a trifle more, but, on the other hand, one

IVORY TOP

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No. 1	8:35 am	No. 12	4:30 am
No. 5	10:25 am	No. 16	11:52 pm
No. 3	10:35 pm	No. 8	10:55pm
No. 37 (local)	7:45 am	No. 38 (local)	5:30 pm

Nos. 37 and 38 run between Galion and Dayton only.

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WEST.		ARRIVE.	
No. 1	9:05 am	No. 12	4:15 am
No. 5	10:25 am	No. 2	5:10 pm
No. 3	11:25 pm	No. 8	10:35pm
No. 33	12:56 pm	No. 32	12:00 noon

Nos. 33 and 32 run between Marion and Lima only. Nos. 1 and 2 run daily except Sundays, and stop at all stations.

[In effect 12:00 m. Sunday, Oct. 20, 1895.]

BIG FOUR.

EAST.		WEST	
No. 36	9:40am	No. 11	6:15 am
No. 2	5:25 pm	No. 3	11:40 am
No. 18	10:57 pm	No. 35	4:30 pm
No. 54 local	5:55 pm	No. 55 local	11:25 am

No. 11, daily, stops at LaRue.

No. 3, daily except Sunday, makes local stops.

No. 35, daily, makes local stops.

No. 36, daily, stops at Caledonia.

No. 2, daily except Sunday, makes local stops west of Galion.

No. 18, daily, does not make local stops.

Local, daily except Sunday.

[In effect Dec. 15.]

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NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No. 31	6:50am	No. 38	7:10pm
No. 33	10:26am	No. 34	1:15pm
No. 35	4:20pm	No. 32	9:46am
No. 37	10:22pm	No. 30	5:35am

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No. 4	1:12 pm	No. 3	[illegible] pm
No. [illegible]	7:40 pm	No. 5	[illegible]

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Harper's Magazine

IN 1896

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...will relate the story of the
...career of the Maid of
...important fiction of the
...novelette by MARK TWAIN,
...Tom Sawyer, Detective;
...three-part tale called Two
...from Muddiety, by LANGDON
...and short stories by
...RICHARD HARDING
...E. WILKINS, JULIAN RALPH,
...OWEN WISTER, and
...writers.
...WILSON will contribute
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...illustrations by HOWARD PYLE.
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...struggle for liberty, illustrated
...WOODVILLE, will be continued
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...THEODORE ROOSEVELT, with
...will be printed during

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ITS HIGHEST DIGNITARIES SUPPORT PRESIDENT CLEVELAND.

All Agree War Between the Two Nations Would Be a Great Calamity—Arbitration the Proper Sequel—Upholding of Monroe Doctrine Considered Imperative.

It is interesting in a critical juncture like the present one between the United States and Great Britain to know what is the opinion of the various high dignitaries of the church on the matter. The New York World has interviewed many of these, and some of the most interesting replies are here set forth:

Archbishop Ryan—I have not sufficiently examined the subject to give an opinion on the application of the Monroe doctrine to the present circumstances, but I have great confidence in both the sound judgment and sense of responsibility of Mr. Cleveland. I hope, of course, that the matter will be settled without war. I believe it will be so settled.

Right Rev. Bishop McLaren of the Episcopal church—I think, speaking as an American, that if the Monroe doctrine as ennunciated by President Monroe is attacked and attempted to be overthrown in its practical bearing on the Americas by any foreign power it is the duty of the government of the United States to stand by that doctrine. If attacked by the arts of diplomacy, this country must meet the attack with diplomatic defense; if by force of arms, then by force of arms. But I do not believe that this matter will reach the arbitrament of force. That would be a worldwide calamity. I hope the diplomatists will fight it out.

Bishop Charles F. Cheney of the Reformed Episcopal church—Since England so haughtily refused to submit a question of this character to arbitration patriotism demands that the country should rally to the support of its principles. At the same time I regard it as an irreparable calamity that two great Christian nations, bound by common blood and common speech, should be drawn into a war that has its origin in one of the wretched Spanish-American republics.

Bishop Fallows of the Reformed Episcopal church—I should hate the Monroe doctrine put to the issue of war, but I am a firm believer in it. I have been through one war in which great principles were defended, and should deplore another war, above all a war with England. But, I believe, as the foundation of the Monroe doctrine, that this continent should be consecrated to free republican government. Some of the American nations may not be the best fitted for that form of government, but even if not, that is no warrant for the suppression of free government by foreign interference. I decidedly favor the principle of an American protectorate, without interference over the weaker republics. With any other nation than England I should not hesitate to prefer war to the abandonment of the Monroe doctrine. With England I do not like to contemplate the possibility of war, but I feel that England must ultimately recognize the Monroe doctrine as a part of international law. We are making international law every day, and if this particular principle is not now formally recognized, it must inevitably come to be so.

Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul—I will not say a word. It is a subject on which I wish to remain silent.

The Right Rev. Frederic D. Huntington, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of central New York—If President Cleveland's message should precipitate or cause a war between the United States and England, I think it would be regretted. Whether it is calculated or ought to provoke war is a question for diplomatists and statesmen. What has appeared from abroad since the message was delivered seems to me to prove that the Monroe doctrine cannot be claimed to belong to international law. I am an admirer of President Cleveland as a statesman.

Right Rev. William Andrew Leonard, Episcopal bishop, whose diocese embraces the northern part of Ohio—All that I can say is that I hope there will be no war, and that I know that our representatives in congress will not permit the dignity of the United States to suffer. Every true American wants to see the dignity of the nation maintained, and every true man hopes that there will be no necessity for war with England or any other nation.

P. L. Chapelle, archbishop of Santa Fe—I approve most highly the president's message in favor of Venezuela and the Monroe doctrine, even at the point of war between Great Britain and the United States. I hope that the president and congress will not abandon the stand they have taken. There will be no war, for Great Britain will at least acknowledge that the policy of this country is just and reasonable.

Very Rev. Henry Cosgrove, bishop of the Catholic diocese, Davenport, Ia.—I do most emphatically approve of the stand taken by President Cleveland in his message upon the Venezuelan boundary dispute and do not believe that this country is going to back down to England, even if it comes to war. I have read the message thoroughly and do not see how a patriotic American could have taken any other position in the premises.

Archbishop P. W. Riordan, head of the Catholic diocese, San Francisco—I indorse President Cleveland's message to the fullest extent.

"Even to the extent of war with England?"

"Yes, even to that extremity if necessary, although I do not think Americans will be called upon to take up arms against Great Britain. Premier Salisbury will find a way out of the difficulty without recourse to open hostilities."

Bishop John Hogan, Roman Catholic, Kansas City—America is a land of refuge from oppression. Americans are refugees from oppression. Americans who would passively see their country entered and dominated by their former oppressors would be false to their mission and deserve to be branded as cowards. Americanism, as announced by our worthy Cleveland, carries with it in the manner of corollary an implicit declaration, which is likewise sound Monroe doctrine, that if Europe does not stop its tyrannical aggression it will be the duty of America to cross the seas to widen the area of freedom.

Right Rev. Stephen Vincent Ryan, Roman Catholic bishop, Buffalo—I am in favor of upholding the Monroe doctrine and the honor and rights of the United States at all times and in all places. However, I do not wish to discuss the particulars of the Venezuelan matter further than to say that President Cleveland's course has increased his popularity.

John B. Newton of the Episcopal diocese, Richmond, said that the question of enforcing the Monroe doctrine at the peril of war is a serious one, and one which he preferred not to discuss until he could give more thought and study to the subject.

Right Rev. A. C. Hall of the Episcopal diocese, Burlington, Vt., is an Englishman by birth, but intensely American in sentiment. He opposed the message and said:

"Heretofore I have always supported Cleveland, but henceforth I am opposed to him. I believe it is an unpardonable offense to stir up strife between the nations."

Cardinal Satolli to Marquis Sacrapanti: "You have arrived at a particularly interesting moment in this country—a moment when a spark has been sent throughout the length and breadth of the states which calls the attention of all its citizens to a danger which is thought to menace it, and whatever may have been up to today the dividing interests of this great people a new manifestation of the patriotic spirit has responded at once to this impulse, and in reply throughout the country but one voice is heard, proclaiming that if real danger does threaten all are and will be united for the common welfare of the nation."

"We are not going to fight with Great Britain," said Dr. Parkhurst at the Amherst alumni dinner in New York. "At least I cannot believe it. There is too much at stake, and too many interests of the civilized world would be sacrificed. Let it be understood, however, that our national liberty and our dignity as a nation should not be sacrificed at any cost. If we must fight to maintain them, I will be one of the first to advocate force and hold the contest to the last. It is an easy thing, however, to get angry and say fight, but it is not an easy thing to avoid some of the terrible results. We must be deliberate and reflect upon the terrible effects such a contest would bring. It would be the most disastrous blow that civilization was ever dealt. By the Almighty God I hope that what seems to be at present an impending conflict may never take place."

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There are other people who carry life insurance to the amount of $500,000, but it is said that one company has never before issued a policy for that amount. There is Queen Victoria's erratic son-in-law, Prince Henry of Battenberg, for instance. It is said that his life is insured for $1,000,000, which goes to prove what a valuable dead man he would be. John Wanamaker is insured for $1,000,000.

Colonel Carr has had his life insured to provide for his children. A year ago he had his life insured for $100,000. Last week he increased the amount to $500,000.—New York World.

Preserved Potatoes.

Evaporated potatoes is the latest Minnesota industry, and by next fall two big evaporating establishments will be in operation. The potato crop of the past season was so vast that millions of bushels went to waste, and during the past week experiments have demonstrated that the tubers can be treated and preserved in much the same manner as apples. One factory will be located at Island Lake.

How It Reads Just Now.

With proper apologies to the Salvation Army the esteemed Congressional Record might be allowed to change its name to The War Cry.—Washington Post.

A Silent Voice Speaks.

The Monroe doctrine speaks aloud.
  And bids all Europe hear
That no encroachments are allowed
  Upon this hemisphere;
That Uncle Sam loves ways of peace
  And wants them to prevail
Among all men till wars shall cease
  And warlike efforts fail,
But will not let a foreign state,
  However great she be,
Usurp this side or dominate
  American liberty.
And if Great Britain tries to take
  Small Venezuela's soil
The spectacle is bound to make
  The blood within him boil,
And may provoke him to declare
  That she is not his friend—
Or, deeming it a challenge, bare
  His saber and contend.
—Barton T. Doyle in Washington Post.

Praise for Munyon.

A Sufferer From Dyspepsia Tells of His Wonderful Cure by Munyon's Improved Homoeopathic Remedies

Mr. W. T. Brashears, 2343 McElderry street, Baltimore, Md., says: "For years I have been a sufferer from dyspepsia I could not eat anything except soft-boiled eggs, and was reduced to a skeleton; my stomach would swell to twice its size, and felt as though I had lead in it. I had become so weak that I was obliged to use a cane to get around. I had given up all hope of recovery, and thought I must die. I had tried several physicians, but all of them failed to help me. Finally, I began to use Munyon's Remedies, and, to the surprise of myself and friends, I immediately improved, and after taking three bottles of Dyspepsia Cure was completely cured."

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Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.

THOSE GIRLS.

Some Interesting Conversation Among Members of the Fair Sex.

"I forgot to mention it at our last meeting," said the president of the Teacup club, "but we are to discuss 'Woman's True Position in Regard to Advancement' today. Is any one prepared to speak on the subject?"

"Dora thought you had told her that I was to lead the discussion," said the girl with the classic profile, "and, indeed, I really meant to be prepared, but papa increased my allowance this month, and I have been so busy and so unhappy ever since that"—

"I don't see why you were unhappy!" cried the brown eyed blond, "but some people never do appreciate luck. Why, there was Maud; she wouldn't go to the Snobberly wedding because she had nothing to wear, when she might have gone early, when nobody would have seen her walk up the aisle, and taken notes of enough gowns and bonnets to"—

"But that doesn't explain about the allowance," interrupted the girl with the dimple in her chin. "Why on earth were you unhappy over the increase?"

"Because, dear, it is not yet large enough."

"No allowance ever is," murmured the girl with the dimple in her chin.

"No. You see, it was so small before that I knew I could not employ a good dressmaker. Now, it is just large enough to make me hope that I can, and so deepen the disappointment when I can't. Oh, I tell you, the alternation of hope and despair is actually affecting my digestion!"

"Will the secretary please read the minutes of our last meeting?" said the president. "Why, where is the secretary?"

"She wouldn't come this afternoon," said the brown eyed blond. "She broke her handglass this morning, and she said she just knew"—

"Why, you could have told her if her back hair was all right!"

"I know, but she is superstitious, and"—

"How silly of her!" cried the girl with the dimple in her chin. "As if the breaking of a mirror could bring bad luck! Now, to be sure, I have noticed that something unpleasant is sure to happen to me if I begin a piece of work on Friday. Still, that is different, you know."

"Oh, pshaw!" said the girl with the classic profile. "I never pay attention to such nonsense. Still, it is a fact that if I go back into the house after I have once reached the street I am sure to encounter some misfortune. I went out without my pocketbook the other day, and rather than go back for it I stopped in and borrowed from Effie. I knew if I went back the particular piece of silk I wanted would be gone!"

"And was it?"

"No. It was even 2 cents cheaper than the week before."

"It was unlucky for Effie, anyhow," said the president, "for Mr. Sloego was there, and she thinks he was really about to say something serious when you interrupted them. He was so busy afterward proving that superstition was silly that she couldn't get him back to the subject."

"Of course, none of us really believe in these things," said the girl with the dimple in her chin; "still, it is very curious."

"Of course," chorused the others.

"Still," said the president, "I don't like to pass under a ladder. Not long ago I forgot and reached under the stepladder for something. The hatchet was on top. It fell off, nearly knocked me senseless and made me stagger back against the stand with my lovely Doulton vase on it and break it in a thousand pieces."

"You poor dear!" cried the girl with the dimple in her chin. "Why, here comes Effie, all out of breath. What"—

"Oh, girls," cried the girl with the Roman nose, "Helen has just gone home to her mother and says she never will forgive her husband!"

"I am not at all surprised," said the girl with the classic profile. "Why, just as she was starting up the aisle to be married she dropped her bridal bouquet. I told her how it would be!"

"I remember," said the president. "Girls, we really must adjourn, for my husband is bringing two men home to dine with him, and I forgot to tell the cook a word about it. Oh, I just knew how it would be when I spilled salt at the breakfast table!"—New York Journal.

OWNEY HAS RETURNED.

The Postal Clerks' Dog Has Been Round the Globe.

Owney, the postal clerks' dog, arrived at New York from China the other day on the steamer Port Phillip, from China and Japan ports, having completed the circuit of the globe since he last visited New York. He left Tacoma on Aug. 19 last and has visited the following places: Shanghai, Woosung, Fuchau, Hongkong, Singapore, Perim, Suez, Port Said, Algiers and St. Michaels (Azores). Fastened to his collar is a tag which says, "Owney, boom Tacoma while you live, and when you die be buried in a Tacoma made coffin." This tag was presented by a newspaper in Tacoma, and affixed to his collar is the following note from A. B. Case, postmaster at Tacoma:

"To all who may meet this dog: Owney is his name. He is the pet of 100,000 postal employees of the United States of America. He starts today, Aug. 19, 1895, for a trip around the world. Treat him kindly and speed him on his journey across ocean and land to Yokohama, Hongkong and New York. From New York send him overland to Tacoma, and who knows but he may compass the globe and beat the record of Nellie Bly and George Francis Train, and be known as a celebrated globe trotter."

Owney is in excellent health, and Captain Grey reports that he has killed all the rats on board the Port Phillip. He has shown an amiable disposition, and all hands on board have made a pet of him.

WORN MONEY IS GOOD.

United States Supreme Court Has So Decided In a Recent Case.

The supreme court of the United States, in a case decided by Chief Justice Fuller recently, ruled on a matter of general interest.

James E. Morgan and wife were on a car operated by the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad company. The conductor refused to accept for their fare a 10 cent piece because he thought it was not worth par, being worn by abrasion while circulating as a part of the national currency. Morgan was ejected from the car and brought suit against the railroad company for damages. He recovered judgment for $315 and costs, and the judgment was affirmed by the supreme court of the state.

The company sued out a writ of error and brought the case to the supreme court of the United States.

The chief justice in his decision referred to the law regulating the passage of defaced and abraded coins and stated that there was no provision against the passage of silver coins which were abraded only by circulation, and that they were legal tender as long as they bore the semblance of the coin. There was nothing in the record of the supreme court of the United States to review, and the writ of error was dismissed, thus affirming the judgment of the state supreme court against the railroad company.

HE FELT LONESOME.

The Last Man of the Suicide Club Gave the Secret Away.

The existence of a suicide club in Louisville has come to light through the alleged efforts of the last surviving member to induce an outsider to perpetuate the club by joining it. The survivor in question is said to be a physician of some prominence and according to the story is the last of five members, the four others having killed themselves within the last two years. Two are said to have shot themselves with the same pistol, and the other two have shuffled by the morphine route. These two were thought to have died natural deaths.

According to the young man whom the physician tried to inveigle into keeping him company, the members signed an agreement stating when and how they intended to kill themselves. The surviving member is credited with being addicted to morphine, and that his intention is simply to take an overdose when his time comes, which he says will be soon. The young man solicited did not join, but told his friends about it.

DEPEW TO BE THE ORATOR.

Will Make an Address at Lincoln-Douglas Debate Anniversary.

Chauncey M. Depew has consented to deliver an address at Galesburg, Ills., Oct. 7, 1896, on the occasion of the celebration by Knox college of the anniversary of the Lincoln-Douglas debate. The debate was held Oct. 7, 1858, and the speakers stood on the east steps of the college building. Twenty thousand people were present. At the celebration it is proposed to place in the wall against which the stand was placed in 1858 a tablet, which will contain in bas-relief busts of Lincoln and Douglas in bronze.

It is predicted that there will be 50,000 people present.

Senator Vest's Turkey Without.

Senator Vest is a plain man—plain in his dress, his likes and his speech. He went into the senate restaurant a few days ago.

"Dick," said he to the waiter, "I want a plate of cold turkey."

"Yes, sir," said the man as he moved away.

"And, Dick," said the senator, calling him back.

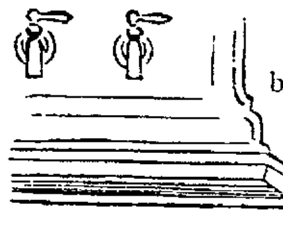
"Yes, sir," said the waited.

"I don't want it decorated with any of that confounded grass either."

And so when the plate of cold turkey appeared the usual garnishing of green parsley was omitted.—Washington Post.

Serum For Erysipelas.

Dr. Marmoreck of Paris, an Austrian, after four years' study at the Pasteur institute, claims to have discovered a serum cure for erysipelas, puerperal fever and all diseases due to the streptococcus microbe and which is also efficacious as an aid to Dr. Roux's treatment for diphtheria.



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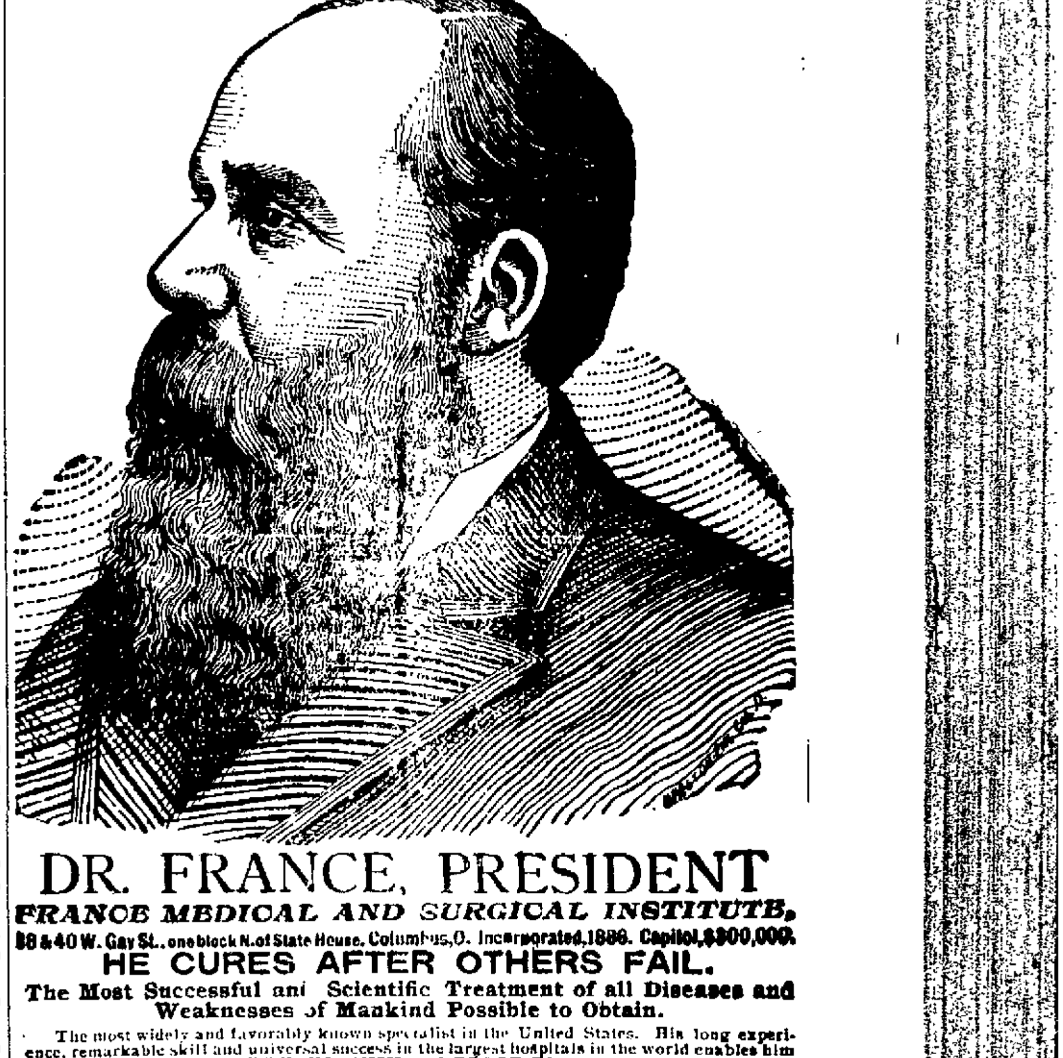

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Resolutions for 1896.

Many good resolutions were made yesterday.

Hope You Will Keep Them.

The best resolution which was made, however, was made by A LADY.

It Is This:

To attend our great January sale now going on. All our stock is being sacrificed for we need money and room for new spring goods.

Muslin Underwear.

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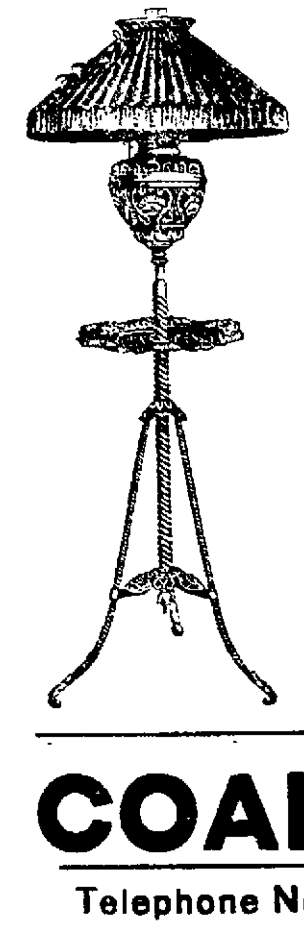

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STOLL SELLS SHOES.

WAS A WILD RUMOR

THAT STORY OF THE FINDING OF MISS LEE'S REMAINS

Hard To Trace to Its Foundation—So Far as Body Being Found on William Lee Farm No Truth In the Report—Relatives Talk

The report that the remains of Mary Lee had been found on the Wm. Lee farm in Hardin county was the one topic of conversation on the streets Friday

While there were many things which would seem to indicate that there was something wrong about the matter yet the positive assurances from LaRue had a tendency to awaken the greatest interest

Among the callers at the STAR office to hear anything which might be known in connection with the matter was J. B Virden a brother-in-law of Mary Lee

Mr Virden said that it was the belief of the members of the family that Mary Lee had left to join her brother Robert and that not knowing that Wm Irwin, another brother-in-law, had paid off all claims against Robert, which amounted to $2?5, and that the indictment against him had been nolled, thought best not to write home for fear that it would give away the whereabouts of Robert.

Mr Virden said that Wm Lee had told him about two weeks ago that he had lately seen a man who had just come from Texas and that while there this man had seen and talked to Robert Lee, but had seen nothing of Mary

This gentleman told Wm Lee, so Mr Virden stated, that Robert was with a surveying party which had just been organized for the purpose of surveying a railroad line through the interior of the Lone Star state, and so the hope that Miss Mary was with Robert has been taken away.

Wm Irwin also called at the STAR office today to see if anything more had been discovered in regard to the report from Hardin county

He had been informed that a report had been started that he had skipped the country for fear of arrest and was justly indignant, and attributed all of the reports to an enemy of his who lived in the north end of the city. He said that this man had sought to do him harm in every way, and that he had no doubt but what the present reports had emenated from this source

Mr. Irwin feels aggrieved, of course under the circumstances, and is most anxious that the mystery be cleared up He had always been a great friend of Miss Lee as well as her relative by marriage and is as much at loss as to her disappearance as the rest of the world

Today several parties living in the vicinity of the Lee farm say that while they heard the report and while it was current throughout that community, yet the scene of the finding of the remains was not located, and in answer to an inquiry addressed to Mr. Lucas, the operator at Hepburn, that gentleman informs the STAR that after a personal examination he finds that the report of the finding of the remains on the Wm Lee farm farm in Hardin county is all a mistake

These conflicting rumors however, do not detract any from the mystery of the young woman's disappearance

PERSONAL

Frank M Cook was up from Prospect today on business

Bert Crawford, of Mansfield is the guest of Harry J Fisher

Mrs. P J Masterson has returned home from a visit at Springfield, O

Attorney Williard E Ball, of Prospect, was in the city today on business

O W Johnston has returned from his two months' hunting trip in Mississippi.

Misses Mamie and Nellie Hane have returned to Philadelphia to resume their studies

Charles Jones of Bucyrus, is visiting his sister Mrs James McEldowney, of this city

Mrs M Ward of Dayton is a guest of Mr and Mrs John Darmody, on north State street

Mrs John Darmody has returned home from a two weeks holiday visit with relatives in Dayton

Miss Lou Jourdon and sister, Aggie, have returned to their home in Galion, after a two weeks visit with Miss Grace Riley on Farming street.

Mrs George Stout and children returned home Friday after a very pleasant visit with friends and relatives at Agosta and LaRue for the past week

Edward L True a former well known Marionite, lately residing in Schuyler, Neb., stopped off here while enroute to New England to visit friends. He is a guest of Col. G. B Christian and Harry True

County Fair Nominations.

The following nominations have been made for members of the Marion County Agricultural society, to be voted on next Saturday January ..

Grand Prairie—J A Baer
Grand—H D. Virden
Scott—David Hinamon
Tully—W F Hurr
Marion—D H Harvey
Salt Rock—M H Knoads
Green Camp—Philip Schwaderer
Bowling Green—Joe Gathery

W C T U. meeting will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at 4th door north of Blue Front clothing store 270-wif SECRETARY

DELIGHTFUL EVENT

At the Scofield Home on Bellefontaine Avenue Friday Evening.

An event looked forward to with much pleasure was the reception tendered by Mrs Geo B Scofield in honor of her charming guest, Miss Hull, of Findlay at the Scofield home on Bellefontaine avenue Friday night, at which time and place Miss Clara Louise Johnston also entertained the Pedro club

As is customary at the meetings of the club no prize was given but the honors of the evening's play at pedro went to Harry D Barker, whose scores overtopped all

Cards held the attention of the guests to well on after eleven o'clock, when elaborate refreshments were served, the pleasure of the repast being nothing marred by the knowledge on the part of the guests that dancing would follow

About 12 o'clock the dancing commenced and from that on until 2 o'clock this morning the happiest, merriest time imaginable was had

Those present were Misses Cheney Wilson Fairfield, Crow, Smiley Masden Quigley Eckhart, Clark, Wright, Schultz, Berry, Stella Smiley, Nettie Quigley, Mame John Hane Nellie Hane Jessie Fisher, Mame Christian, Hortense Cunningham Ada Bowen, all of this city, and Miss Bell of Columbus and Mr Burt Crawford, of Mansfield and Messrs Dee Kennedy, Christian, J. F. Dombaugh, T. R Allen, Thomas Rapp, Cunningham, J. L. Beatty, G H Uhler, Fisher, Stose J W Nelson, J E Phillips, McPhail, Wright, Lust, Foster Landon Barker Hume, Art Williams and Harry Crow, of this city

THE TWIGS

Entertained at the Ed. K. Uhler Home Friday Afternoon

One of the most enjoyable entertainments in the history of the Twigs was that tendered them and a few special guests at her charming home on east Church street by Mrs. Ed. K Uhler, Friday afternoon

As is the custom at this home the occasion was a most joyous one and the residence was beautifully decorated with foliage plants and flowers in bloom in honor of the event

The game for the afternoon was pedro and the honors were carried off by Miss Wallace who won by her superior playing a beautiful piece of Haveland china as a prize

Late in the afternoon the husbands of the married Twigs and several gentlemen friends of the Twigs came in and all sat down to a fine hot dinner, royally served, and for an hour or more the elaborate feast prepared was heartily enjoyed.

The guests of the club were Mr. and Mrs C. B King, and Messrs L. B McNeal, J S Duff, M A. Turney, D O Weeks, Ed K Uhler, J W. Nelson, J E Phillips, H. L. Uhler and George H Uhler

Hundreds of Marion people will be interested in the bulletin of cut prices on footwear from the New York Store, in this paper. The New York Store is already famed for low prices, but these famous prices are slashed Look up the figures 36t2

A GOOD THING.

The Marion Board of Health Wants To Become More Useful.

The board of health will go to Columbus in a body on the 30th of this month. Secretary Raffensperger, of the local board of health, received a letter this morning from Secretary Brobst, of the state board, urging all members to be in attendance

An effort will be made to improve the local board The members are going to attend the meeting for that purpose They desire to learn, and while there will procure a list of the articles needed to make the milk test, and also gain knowledge from boards of the many cities of the state who will be in attendance at this session of the state board The local board may remain in the city both days.

AUDITOR GUTHERY

Makes His Dow Law Settlement With the State Auditor.

Auditor Guthery sent his Dow tax settlement to the state auditor today

The total amount of the settlement is $7625, of which $5125 is paid by Marion saloonists $875 by Prospect, $125 by Owen, $750 by LaRue $500 by Caledonia $125 by Waldo and $125 by New Bloomington Additions were paid by Marion of $331.49 and by Caledonia of $195, making $526.51 and remittance made in Marion of $500, in Prospect of $225, in LaRue of $225 and in Caledonia of $125, leaving $7076.51 to account for

Officers Installed.

The following officers were installed in Marion Lodge No 102 Knights of Pythias, Friday night:

W R Everett, past chancellor Geo McKinley, chancellor commander R C Fenton, vice-chancellor L. V. Uncapher, prelate, F E Guthery master-at-arms, A L. Mack, inner guard, Sam Reber outer guard

The Big Four.

The Big Four House is becoming deservedly popular serving as it does, meals at all hours, and being the only European hotel in the city J W Severe the proprietor, is an old hotel man and in C E Crouse, as day clerk, and Jack McDonough as night he has two efficient helpers They serve lunch at all hours th-sat

Prof Becker's Pupils' Recital.

Monday evening, January 6, at eight o'clock, at the Y M C A auditorium, Miss Florence Llewellyn, one of Marion's most talented singers, will kindly assist the pupils of the recital

HUGE PETITION

Thousands of Mothers Would Sign.

Every Little Village and Small Town.

Multitudes of Homes in the Great Cities

To be Represented on Enormous Roll.

People With World-Wide Reputations Lead the Way.

Great Work of Paine's Celery Compound.

A Blessing to every Household in the Land.

If another huge petition, like the famous one now going round the world on quite another mission, were to be signed by all the men, women and children who have been cured of disease or saved from a weak, nervous condition by Paine's celery compound it would take a stout conveyance to carry the enormous document from city to city.

Such a growing testimonial would receive additions from every tiny village and small town, not to mention the cities, on its journey across the United States

It would be signed by thousands of women no longer tortured by sleeplessness, pains in the back and sides, continual headaches, neuralgia, dyspepsia and Bright's disease

There would be fully as many men who had been permanently cured of kidney and liver diseases and rescued from chronic bad health by means of this great invigorator

A vast number of children would be represented to testify to the ability of Paine's celery compound to restore a healthy appetite, to take away that constant tired feeling and to purify the blood of harmful humors.

The number of testimonials for Paine's celery compound from men and women of high standing in every state in the Union that have already been published, would fill a large volume. These testimonials have been written without solicitation They have been published verbatim as they were received

Necessarily the testimonials that have publicly appeared have been but one or two, here and there, taken almost at random from an enormously large number that every day and every week steadily increases.

Besides, it is to be remembered that not one tithe of all the magnificent cures fairly due to Paine's celery compound ever get beyond the knowledge of the immediate family that, in fact few people have any appreciation of the number of families throughout the United States where Paine's celery compound is kept constantly on hand and is being taken or has been taken by some one of its members.

Paine's celery compound has already done an enormous work It has saved lives It has saved health. It has saved homes

But its work as the greatest nerve and brain strengthener and restorer the world has known, is only well started

It is not beyond the reach of the most modest household, while a much greater expenditure will procure nothing else so effective

Paine's celery compound, the remedy that makes people well is within reach of all'

POLICE COURT NEWS

The police had a cold night of it Friday, each time they reported they were nearly frozen

Nine tramps were housed at the Hotel Carles Friday night It was so cold that the bums covered most of the interior with heavy paper, by which means they kept out as much cold as possible.

Marshal Griffith was in the city Friday afternoon looking for Herman Tonguet of Kenton Tonguet is expected to remove to this city and reside with his father-in-law. He is wanted for embezzlement, the amount being one hundred and fifty dollars Another man has been arrested on the same charge and is to have a hearing at Kenton today Tonguet is also to appear before the courts there this week

This afternoon Officer Hickman located Tonguet at George Fields saloon and with the assistance of Marshal Biain placed him under arrest and took him to the county jail, to await the coming of the Kenton officers There is enough against Tonguet to send him to the penitentiary if he is found guilty

Don't Want To Pay.

The insurance companies holding the George F Warren risk, at Prospect are investigating his death and taking testimony before a commissioner at Delaware. Only one company has paid its policy and $37,000 is being contested on the ground of fraud.

HOWARD SAXBY.

He Lectured at the High School Auditorium Friday Night

The intense cold of Friday night prevented the attendance at the Howard Saxby lecture at the High school auditorium which the excellence of the lecture deserved

As it was there were not more than 1?? present to listen to the gifted lecturer on this his second appearance in our city

Mr Saxby's lecture Friday night, on The Palace of Truth is a wide departure from his former lecture, All sorts and conditions of men and yet it is in no way less entertaining

Friday night Mr Saxby showed the same delicate humor, the same pathos which marked his previous effort and to say that his hearers were pleased but mildly expresses the enjoyment of the evening

Mr Saxby is remarkably gifted as a worker in the newspaper field but on the platform he is even better and it is only a question of time until the reputation for excellence which extends over the state, will be national

The Palace of Truth is one of those lectures which must be heard to be appreciated and the treat which last night, was enjoyed by those present is such a one as is not often to be had more than twice in a season. Still it would be hard to blame anyone for their failure to brave the weather of Friday night

Teachers' Institute.

The teachers of Green Camp township will hold an institute in the Green Camp High school room on Jan 11, at 1 p m

PROGRAM.

Devotional Exercises ... Rev. Crow
Physical Features H. L. Moore
Discussion
Song Ladies Quartet
The [illegible] C. R. Ritzler
Discussion
Song Apollo Quartet
Primary Work Cora Slack
Discussion
Reading M D Porter
Song Ladies Quartet
Exploration L. F. Porter
Discussion
Query Box.
Song Apollo Quartet

Let everybody attend this meeting of the teachers

NORA SLACK, Pres

W. C. PORTER, Sec'y

A Sensation

Founded on fiction is good "chawing," but one founded on facts is better We don't live in a glass house, it's brick and when we fire a dornick it'll hurt You'll doubtless remember we were in the bicycle biz last year? Well just watch our smoke in '96. Got samples of '96 Fowler in. The finest finished wheel in the world.

C. C. STOLTZ

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

WARNER & EDWARDS.

Spring Sewing

Supply your wants now during our Housekeeping Sale.

As we have often remarked, The Dry Goods Business is not done on paper.

OUR STORE,
OUR PRICES,
THE GOODS
THAT YOU WANT,

All exert an influence that cannot be counteracted by any extravagant assertions.

SHEETINGS,
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GINGHAMS,

Staple cotton fabrics that you will need for spring, and that you can buy for less money today than later in the season.

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Ladies' Jackets and Capes $5.00, worth $10.
Ladies' Velour and Plush Capes $9.98, worth $15.
Ladies' Fur Capes $10, worth $20.
Ladies' Fur Capes $12.50, worth $25.
Dress Goods by the yard 29c, worth 60c.
Dress Goods by the yard 50c, worth $1.00.
Dress Goods--Black Brocades--50c, worth $1.00.
Pattern Suits $3.70, worth $7.00.
Pattern Suits $5.00, worth $9.50.
Pattern Suits $6.50 worth $11.50.
Blankets at 59c pair.
Blankets at 75c pair.
Blankets at $1.50 pair.
Blankets, all wool at $2.00 pair.

Mittens, Gloves, Hosiery and Underwear in this, the Biggest Sale ever given in Marion, at astonishing prices.

ALL KINDS OF MERCHANDISE AT CUT PRICES. . . .

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